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CURZON TELLS TURKS THEIR COURSE IS A BAR TO PEACE

British Foreign Secretary De-
livers Stern Warning After
Ismet Pasha Refuses to
Grant National Home to
Armenians or to Consent
to Control Over Minorities

SAYS ISSUE MAY
END THE CONFERENCE

Declares Ottoman Empire
Will Lose World's Sym-
pathy if Its Representatives
Decline to Co-operate on
Vexatious Problem.

By the Associated Press.
LAUSANNE, Dec. 12.—A refusal
by Turkey at this morning's session
of the Near East conference to
accede to the demand for a national
home for the Armenians or interna-
tional regulation of the rights of
the minorities in Turkey brought a
sharp warning to the Ankara dele-
gation from Marquis Curzon, head
of the British delegation.

The British Foreign Secretary told
the Turkish delegation that per-
sistent imposition of barriers to a sat-
isfactory settlement of the minorities
problem was having a bad effect on
the conference and the entire world.

"When we leave Lausanne—and
I may be here for some time—
you will find that the world
is not with you. The world
is not with the allied Powers
who are fighting the battles of the
minorities and getting nothing but
plaudits in return, the general
impression will be deplorable for
Turkey," said Lord Curzon.

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Bands of German Women Raid Toy and Food Shops

Stores Dealing in Christmas Trees, Gifts and
Poultry Are Doing Business With Doors
and Windows Barred.

Special Wireless to the Post-Dispatch
and the Chicago Daily News.

BERLIN, Dec. 13.—German women
are robbing the toy shops and
Christmas tree dealers. The police
in Berlin and other cities are
alarmed over the raids which have
been made in the last few days on
shops dealing in Christmas presents
and in which the women have been
the principal figures.

Organized bands of women would
suddenly invade a shop, grab dolls,
tin soldiers, Christmas trees and
candies and then rush out again. A
raid, as a rule, would last only a few
minutes.

It is generally admitted that the
high prices which are beyond the
reach of most people are responsible
for these outbreaks. Food shops and
delicatessen stores are also being
plundered, the women taking tur-
keys, chicken, geese, ducks and fruit.
Many shops are already doing all
their business with doors and win-
dows barred.

'HONEST FOR 75 YEARS, BUT TEMPTATION CAME'

Frank R. Williams, 76, Accused
of Using Mails in Scheme
to Defraud.

As the door of the city jail opened
to admit the prisoner a neatly
dressed, but feeble, old man tottered
in. Although he wore spectacles
with magnifying lenses he was
scarcely able to see his way about.
The guard took him by the arm and
led him to the receiving room.

"Must have made a mistake," the
guard said to the Postoffice Inspector
who had accompanied the pris-
oner. "This is not the Old Folks'
Home."

"Hold him for the Government,"
ordered the Postoffice Inspector,
charged with using the mails in a
scheme to defraud.

The prisoner identified himself as
Frank R. Williams, 76 years old,
1505 Dillon street. He was a
question regarding his occupation he
said: "It used to be that of a carpet
cleaner, but now I don't know what
to call it."

Williams was arrested Monday
night when Postoffice inspectors,
answering a newspaper ad for a
"man with \$250 to invest in a good
proposition," called at his home to
investigate.

"I've got a great scheme," Wil-
liams told the inspectors, believing
them to be prospective investors. "I
have a secret process for cleaning
carpets and making them look like
new. All I need is a little capital. I
must do some advertising and em-
ploy a few demonstrators."

The inspectors went away and
consulted their files. Williams an-
swered the description of a man who
had been working a confidence game
for more than a year. Then they re-
turned to Williams' home with
marked money, "invested" in the
scheme and, after Williams had ac-
cepted their money, arrested him.

"I was honest for 75 years," said
Williams, in discussing his arrest
with a Post-Dispatch reporter. "I
used to clean carpets for a living,
but in the last few years, owing to
my age and physical decline, I found
it hard to get work."

"Then I was struck with this idea
of advertising for partners with
money," he said.

C. H. Porter identified Williams as
having swindled him out of \$250 a
year ago with the fake ad.

"Ungrateful Cuss,"
said Williams, "the most grateful cus-
s I ever heard of." He snorted the pris-
oner. "Why, you ought to thank me
for teaching you a lesson for \$250
that probably saved you a great deal
more than that sum. Now you come
to prosecute me."

"Did you ever have a secret pro-
cess for cleaning carpets?" Williams
was asked.

"No," he replied. "When I worked
at the game I used only soap and
water."

He said that he had obtained
money from about 100 persons
through his ads, but most of them
invested less than \$100, he said, and
he estimated that he had obtained
about \$10,000.

DOCTOR, FOR WHOM LIFE
THOUSANDS PRAYED, DIES

Dr. Miller Royal Whiteneck, Famous
as Children's Specialist, Ill for
More Than Six Weeks.

By the Associated Press.
NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 13.—Dr.
Miller Royal Whiteneck, famous as
a specialist on children's diseases,
died yesterday at the Presbyterian
hospital, where he had been con-
fined for more than six weeks suf-
fering with blood poisoning. Dr.
Whiteneck was born in Newark 48
years ago.

Thousands of persons in Newark
united in prayer yesterday for the re-
covery of the doctor. The hospital
where he was confined was besieged
by persons inquiring as to his con-
dition.

RELICS VALUED AT \$40,000,000 FOUND IN EGYPTIAN TOMB

Burial Place of Ruler Who Held
Sway About 1300 B. C. Found
at Site of Thebes.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch
and New York World.

LONDON, Dec. 13.—Treasures es-
timated to be worth more than \$40,-
000,000 have been unearthed in the
tomb of Tutankhamun, near Luxor,
Egypt, on the site of the ancient city
of Thebes. Howard Carter, the ex-
plorer, and the Earl of Caernarvon,
who have been at work there for sev-
en years, announced the discovery
two weeks ago, but the extent of the
treasures is only now being revealed.

Tutankhamun was one of the Kings
of the eighteenth Egyptian dynasty
who reigned about 1350 B. C. His
funeral paraphernalia has been found
in a series of subterranean
chambers in the royal necropolis of the
Theban empire, directly below the
tomb of Ramses VI.

It is said here an American mil-
lionaire offered Lord Caernarvon
\$150,000 for a single gold statue
found in the tomb. Lord Caernarvon,
however, refused to sell the figure.

Another of the discoveries in the
tomb was the King's gem-studded
throne, which was said to be the most
beautiful Egyptian art object ever
discovered. Life-sized statues and
vases of exceedingly intricate and
beautiful design, a quantity of the
richly embroidered royal robes and
linen furnishings were among the
treasures brought to light.

SHIPS ON PACIFIC LABORING WITH MOUNTAINOUS WAVES

By the Associated Press.
VANCOUVER, B. C., Dec. 13.—
Messages from vessels laboring with
mountainous seas on the Pacific
Ocean have been received here. Bil-
lards were reported on Bering Sea.

The Taihu Maru, 80 miles from Ja-
pan, sent a wireless message that
inferred from her cargo was being
thrown into the furnaces to keep up
steam to fight the storm. The pas-
senger liner Empress of Russia, 2000
miles from Victoria, on her way from
the Orient, reported that she was
having the roughest voyage in her
history.

NEW Herald Building for New York

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Herald
Square next year will have a new
20-story building on the site of the
old Herald building, one of the city's
landmarks, built by the elder James
Gordon Bennett for the New York
Herald, now owned by Frank A.
Munsey. Ground will be broken next
spring. The structure, which will
keep the old name, is expected to be
ready for occupancy in October,
1923. The land is valued at \$2,500,
and the building is expected to cost
\$1,450,000.

CLOUDY WITH SNOW TONIGHT, TEMPERATURE ABOUT 28

THE TEMPERATURES.
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ST. LOUIS, Dec. 13.—Senator Harding declined to tell what was of a conversation he had with President at the White House, further than to say he had discussed "some Missouri matters."

It is to be doubted that the senator's appointment which President Harding made to the Missouri State Bar Association, further than to say he had discussed "some Missouri matters."

but of politics and were declared that Turkey would be the Mohammedans and Lord Curzon's proposal of a League of Nations would result in the end of minorities for political "the living clock of nations."

British chief delegate, Sir Curzon, of Turkey from the conquest of Constantinople, he said, had fully with the Greeks and until a hundred years ago the Russians began against the Mohammedans, and the Mohammedans were of orthodox Christians.

menians brought the massacre, "Isr. Pasha. They have abused Turkey and dabbled in politics, that proves that the Armenians have been unable for their difficulties. They were fired by the other Greeks, the Bulgars, to imitate them in the setting the Turkish Government."

to Ismet there are now in Turkey which can be right to belong to any one, thus disposing of the claim for a national home.

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POLICE THINK ROBBERS WHO GOT \$96,000 RECEIVED 'TIP'

Three Robbers Take Money From Five Messengers of Kansas City Bank in Lobby of Livestock Exchange Building and Flee in Automobile.

CREDIT MANAGER SHOT AND MAY LOSE LEG

Officers Working on Theory That Men Had Information of Money Movement, Which Was Not a Regular Shipment.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 13.—Investigation of the \$96,000 hold-up at the Live Stock Exchange building yesterday, in which Thomas F. Henry, credit manager of the Drovers National Bank, one of five men transporting the funds, was wounded, dangerously when he sought to save a bag of money, is proceeding on the police theory that the five robbers had detailed information as to the money being handled.

Police officials admit, however, that their theory is based largely on the facts that movement of large sums of money by the bank is very irregular and that the bank's messengers have been held up twice before recently.

Henry, who was shot in the left leg at Research Hospital, in a serious condition, on account of a wound in the leg, is expected to be out of the hospital today from the wound. Doctors today said he was resting well but that his leg might have to be amputated. He was shot when he tried to throw money over a partition.

The Marmon touring car in which the robbers escaped was found an hour later abandoned at Twenty-fourth street and Fairmount avenue, several miles from the scene of the robbery.

The car was a black overcoat, gray plaid cap, part of a box of .38-caliber cartridges and a box of .38-gauge shotgun shells, from which several had been taken.

In the bottom of the car a tag from one of the money sacks, addressed to the Drovers National Bank, was found. Printed on the tag were the serial numbers of the bills the sack had contained.

Police theory of robbery. Detectives Chief Winters said his best lead was to find how the robbers had obtained information as to the movement of the money.

C. H. Kelly, assistant cashier at the bank, said there was no regularity in shipment of the bank's money. The money taken yesterday had been sent to the Stockyards Postoffice yesterday at noon from the Federal Reserve Bank by registered mail and the bank notified of the delivery.

The money was called for when needed, Kelly said, sometimes only once a month. The shipment received yesterday was the first in several weeks.

A messenger boy, about 17 years old, delivered the request of the Drovers National Bank for \$100,000 in currency to the Federal Reserve Bank yesterday morning, Kelly said, adding that the boy was a trusted employee of the bank and that the request for money was in a sealed envelope.

"No one knew what the envelope contained," Kelly said. "Absolutely no suspicion has been cast on the messenger. The usual method of depositing the Federal Reserve Bank for money was followed in this instance."

The \$100,000 delivery had been made for in anticipation of cashing checks for the employees of the livestock firms Friday, Kelly said.

The robbery was executed so quickly that the few persons who were crowded in the lobby of the exchange at the time were unable to give an accurate account of what happened or a "workable" description of the robbers. Many of the witnesses, stockmen and buyers who sought the holdup was a joke until Henry was in charge of the five men sent by the bank to the bank to receive the money in five packages. Joined by Jack Kelley, a bank detective, they started back to the bank. When the bank messengers emerged into the main lobby, the robbers, waving revolvers, demanded them to hold up their hands. All complied except Henry, who carried the largest package of money, said to have contained \$40,000. Henry clutched the package and tried to evade the hold-up by entering an office opening in the lobby. He tried to throw the package over a partition.

One of the robbers pursued and Henry fell to the floor. The other three ran into the corridor, where two companions had taken the packages from the other messengers. One package, containing \$10,000, was overlooked.

First Showing in St. Louis of "The Grip of Famous Players-Lasky Corporation on Film World"



ADOLPH ZUKOR.

JESSE L. LASKY AND MRS. LASKY.

Episodes in Building of Unlawful Monopoly Alleged in Complaint of Federal Trade Commission.

By CHARLES G. ROSS, Chief Washington Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—If any movie producer happens to be looking for material for a "gripping" big business story he needn't go outside the film industry itself. There's plenty of material in the Federal Trade Commission's docket No. 835, wherein is set forth, in legalistic but not the less vivid phrase, the story of the rise of the Famous Players-Lasky Corporation to a place of great power in the motion picture world; of great power, as well, in the larger world of finance. Incidentally, the story gives an idea of the magnitude of the film business generally, and the hold it has on people everywhere.

After a preliminary investigation a year or so ago the Federal Trade Commission drew up a complaint against the Famous Players-Lasky Corporation, Adolph Zukor, Jesse L. Lasky and other companies and individuals playing star parts in the drama of motion picture finance. The commission formally charged all the respondents with the use of unlawful methods of competition, and charged the Famous Players-Lasky Corporation, Zukor, its president and directing personality, and Lasky, its vice president, with having set up an unlawful monopoly.

The issue having been joined by the filing of general denials, the case is now being prepared for trial before the hearing. No date for the hearing has been set.

Enormity of Business. In leading up to its charges, the commission gives data to show the importance which motion pictures have assumed in American life. There are, it is related, about 18,000 movie theaters in the United States, in which about 20,000,000 persons daily spend \$4,000,000 in cash.

In picture parlance, theaters are known as "first run" or "repeat" houses, the former being those in which pictures are shown for the first time in a given territory and the latter being those in which the films are thereafter exhibited. About 50 per cent of the revenue from any film is estimated to be derived from "first run" showings within six months from the date of its release. The remainder comes from "repeat" runs over a period of two or three years.

Linking producers with exhibitors, there has been built up an elaborate system of exchanges, from which the principal cities or towns in the various sales districts, from which points they serve the smaller towns in the neighboring territory. All business between exhibitors and producers is conducted through the exchanges, and the cities in which they are located have become known to the trade as "key cities."

The successful booking of a film in a given territory depends entirely, the commission says, upon its showing in the key city. There are cities in the United States recognized by

the industry as key cities. St. Louis is one of them.

Alliance in 1916. At the beginning of 1916, the complaint recites, none of the three units of the picture industry (producers, distributors and exhibitors) was allied with the others. The leading producing concerns were Bioscope, Inc., with a capital stock of \$10,000; the Jesse L. Lasky Feature Play Company, Inc., with a capital stock which had been increased from the original \$50,000 to \$100,000; and the Famous Players Film Company, capital stock \$2,500,000, the majority of which was owned by Zukor.

The three corporations were in active competition with one another and "had among their employes the most prominent and popular motion picture actors and actresses and the most efficient and skillful directors then known in the industry."

In July, 1916, it is charged, Zukor and Lasky "combined and conspired" to monopolize the picture industry. The Famous Players-Lasky Corporation, which they formed, took over the entire stock of the three competing corporations, which went out of business. The effect has been, the commission complains, to eliminate competition and restrain commerce.

Prior to the merger, the three competing concerns released all their pictures through the Paramount Pictures Corporation, which had been established among exhibitors and the public.

"Policy of Closed Bookings." This corporation, the commission states, pursued a policy of "closed bookings," whereby it leased "first run" pictures to exhibitors only on the condition that they would take the entire set of 104 annually released by the corporation, and would not show the pictures of any competitor. The closed policy did not apply to "repeat" pictures, in connection with which there was active competition.

In furtherance of the "conspiracy and combination" to monopolize the picture business, the complaint charges that the Famous Players-Lasky Corporation sought, through Zukor, to acquire the whole of the stock of the Paramount Corporation. This it failed to do. Then, it is charged, in order to evade the contracts of the three constituent companies with Paramount, Zukor formed the Arctcraft Pictures Corporation, with 20,000 shares of capital stock without nominal value, to engage in the distribution of films in

competition with Paramount. Moreover, it is alleged, as the contracts of certain stars, whose pictures had been featured as "Paramount Pictures," expired, they were not engaged by the Zukor-Lasky combine, but were persuaded by Zukor to form their own companies, and these new companies then contracted for the distribution of their films through the Arctcraft instead of the Paramount Corporation.

Competition Eliminated. It Is Said. Threatened with losses, the stockholders of the Paramount became desirous of disposing of their holding, with the result that the Famous Players-Lasky Corporation, in 1916, was able to acquire all the Paramount assets. The effect of this absorption, the complaint recites, was to eliminate competition between Paramount and Arctcraft and to tend to create a monopoly.

After the combine had got hold of the Paramount stock, both the Paramount and Arctcraft distributing agencies ceased to function, and the Famous Players-Lasky Corporation, in addition to producing films, entered upon the business of distributing, advertising its films as "Paramount-Arctcraft Pictures" and "Paramount Pictures."

In order to further entrench itself as the dominant power in the picture world, the corporation, according to the complaint, began to affiliate with certain independent producers whose work was in demand by the public. These independents maintained studios of their own, but it is stated their pictures are leased to and distributed by the Famous Players-Lasky Corporation, which advertises them as "Paramount-Arctcraft" or "Paramount Pictures." Among those producing independently but allied with the corporation in the manner described, the complaint names the following: Thomas H. Ince, The Cosmopolitan Productions, Mayflower Productions, George Fitzmaurice's Productions, Sidney Chaplin Productions, Lois Weber Productions, George Milford's Productions, and William A. Brady's productions. In addition, the Famous Players-Lasky Corporation is said to have contracts for distributing the works of various foreign producers.

Control of Theaters. It is further alleged that "in accordance with the conspiracy" to control the picture business, Zukor and Lasky in 1915 "caused to be formed the Realart Pictures Corporation, all the stock of which is owned by the Famous Players-Lasky combination. The Realart Corporation is said, held itself out as being in competition with the trust" and many exhibitors who did not want to have dealings with Zukor or Lasky were deceived into leasing its productions.

Having obtained its alleged monopolistic grip on the producing and distributing ends of the business, the combine embarked in 1919 on a comprehensive program of acquiring theaters. This led to the acquisition of 50 per cent of the stock of Black New England Theaters, Inc., which owns more than 60 theaters. In getting control of these theaters, it is charged, the corporation intimidated theater owners into selling by interfering with their film service and threatening to erect competing houses. In the theaters so acquired it is alleged, the pictures of the Famous Players-Lasky Corporation and Paramount-Arctcraft pictures are either shown exclusively or given the preference, to the detriment of the business of independent producers.

Extension of Chains. By similar methods, it is charged, the corporation has extended its sway over chains of theaters in various sections of the country, including more than 140 theaters in North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Arkansas, Louisiana, Texas and Oklahoma, for the acquisition of which it formed a \$5,000,000 subsidiary corporation, known as Southern Enterprises Inc. In many cases, it is stated, Southern Theater owners were coerced into selling to the corporation or giving exclusive rights to its pictures by threats that houses would be set up in competition unless they yielded.

The ambitious program of theater control has led the corporation, according to the complaint, into nu-

merous large enterprises, including, among others, the following: Purchase of the New York Theater Building in New York City at a cost of \$3,700,000; the erection of an office building, the purchase of a chain of theaters in Canada at a cost of \$5,000,000; the erection of an office building and theater in St. Louis; the purchase of 17 theaters in Missouri formerly known as the Kopyar Circuit; the creation of a subsidiary known as the Famous Players-Missouri Corporation to operate theaters owned by it in Missouri; the incorporation of a \$12,000,000 concern to take over or build theaters in California and the acquisition of an interest in Loew's Ohio theaters, operating houses throughout the state of Ohio.

Independents Kept Out. The complaint recites that owing to the "conspiracies" enumerated, the pictures of independent producers have been kept out of the principal cities and towns of the United States, and that continuation of this policy will result eventually in the elimination of all independent producers.

As a result of its manifold activities, the Famous Players-Lasky Corporation is described as the largest concern in the moving picture industry, and the biggest theater owner in the world, owning more than 400 houses in the United States and having numerous others affiliated with it. It has formed producing companies in Great Britain, France, Belgium, Spain, the Scandinavian countries, Poland and Czechoslovakia and a \$3,000,000 corporation for the production of pictures in India. It has, the complaint continues, branch offices in 28 cities of the United States and in numerous foreign countries and has 140 subsidiary corporations engaged in producing, distributing or exhibiting pictures.

Films in 98 Per Cent of Theaters. It is estimated that about 98 per cent of the picture theaters of the United States show Paramount pictures or Paramount-Arctcraft pictures at least part of the time; that in one week in 1920 more than 6000 American theaters showed nothing but these pictures; that about 67 cents of every dollar paid by movie theater-goers was paid to enter houses displaying the corporation-controlled pictures; that one out of every 20 persons in the United States sees such a picture every day. It is estimated that more than 30,000 films are distributed by the corporation every week.

Various subsidiary companies acquired by the corporation in its extension of control over theaters, together with individuals connected with them, are included in the list of respondents.

Summing up, the complaint says that the "conspiracies and combinations, and acquisitions and affiliations made in pursuance therefore, have given the Famous Players-Lasky Corporation, a virtual monopoly of the motion picture industry."

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"AT WORK ON TIME," IS WANAMAKER TRIBUTE

Former Office Boy Summarizes Secret of Famous Merchant's Success.

By the Associated Press. PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 13.—

Among the host of tributes to the memory of John Wanamaker, merchant prince, religious leader and philanthropist, which continued to pour into this city today from all sections of the country, this one stands out as unique:

"He was always at work on time."

With these seven words, Wanamaker's first office boy, George W. Stull, summarized the secret of the world-renowned merchant's success. The one-time office boy, who swept out, ran errands, delivered parcels and gradually learned to do more important routine work for his employer, now is superintendent of the store.

Since the death of Wanamaker yesterday thousands of letters and telegrams of condolence have been received by his family. Flags are at half-mast here for the first time on the occasion of the death of a private citizen. An innovation in the realm of advertising, in which Wanamaker was one of the first big leaders, was the publication today of eulogies of the merchant's life in connection with the advertising of his principal department store competitors. Philadelphia's schools will be closed for one session tomorrow and the Wanamaker stores, which have been closed since yesterday morning, will remain so until after the funeral.

Wanamaker's body will lie in state in Bethany Presbyterian Church, of which he was one of the founders, from 10 o'clock until noon tomorrow.

The interment, which will take place tomorrow afternoon in the family mausoleum in the cemetery of St. James the Less, will be private.

CURZON TELLS TURKS THEIR COURSE IS A BAR TO PEACE

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large cities, 1400 villages and 98,000 Turkish inhabitants.

Special Word for Jews. Ismet declared he desired to say a special word for the Jews, "That laborious, intelligent element, whose name has never been cited up to the present in any international treaty but whose quiet life should serve as an example to all others."

The best way for the minorities to get along in Turkey, he insisted, was for them to have no compromising relations with the exterior and to cease being the object of special solicitude in foreign countries.

"The Armenians," he said, "can

NEARLY ALL COUNTRIES EXPERIENCING GENERAL RISE IN PRICES AGAIN

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—VIRTUALLY all countries are experiencing a general rise in prices again, after a two-year period of declines which followed the post-war break and which in the greater number of cases came within a few months of each other in 1920. In Germany, Poland and Bulgaria inflation has been continuous since 1913.

A compilation of comparative wholesale price levels of all commodities in the principal countries, prepared by the Department of Agriculture Bureau of Agricultural Economics, shows there was a more or less consistent rise in all the countries until 1920, except in Germany, Poland and Bulgaria. Prices then fell away from the high point, continuing until this year, and now are generally rising again.

Comparing all commodities in currencies of the various countries and using 1913 and 1914 as the base with 100, the latest prices available show Belgium 318; Bulgaria 2531; Denmark 180; France 337; Germany 56,600; Italy 601; Netherlands 147; Norway 221; Poland 152,365; Spain 177; Sweden 155; Switzerland 169; United Kingdom 157; United States 154; Canada 162; Peru 184; Australia 168; China 143; Dutch East Indies 162; India 177; Japan 190; New Zealand 174; Egypt 138, and South Africa 131. These numbers are for various months of 1922, in some cases back as far as May.

live with us as friends, and we can forget the past."

In his declaration regarding the Armenians, Ismet said there was not a bit of territory in Turkey proper, or in its provinces, or in Cilicia, which did not contain a Turkish majority, and no territory which could be detached in any way from the fatherland for the Armenians.

Ismet declared that if the Greeks and Armenians were unhappy it was because they had put themselves in the position of aggressors, and that this attitude had received support from other countries.

Ismet Pasha has never been so aggrieved as in his attitude on this issue, which in the session yesterday challenged the attention of the world when Ismet declared that Turkey could not allow the League of Nations to look after the affairs of the minorities.

Ambassador Child, in his address yesterday, said that the representatives of the United States believed that the ends to be sought were "prevention rather than mere relief and guarantees of safety for minorities rather than mere support to their misery, and permanence of joint action rather than mere spasmodic separate activity."

"The Armenians," he said, "can

FAST TRAIN ON WAY TO ST. LOUIS IS DERAILED

Burlington Official Says Wreck at St. Joseph Was Deliberate Work of Train-Wreckers.

By the Associated Press.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Dec. 13.—When the Burlington's fast St. Louis express which left St. Joseph at 9:50 o'clock last night reached a point eight miles east of here it was derailed by a broken rail. James Garrett, engineer, of Brookfield, Mo., suffered painful scalds about the face and head, and four passengers were injured.

The injured passengers are: P. H. Vermillion, St. Joseph; Miss Lucille Bohart, Omaha; Mrs. J. R. O'Donnell, Brookfield, Mo., and A. A. Furer, Omaha. None is dangerously hurt, it is believed.

Following a personal investigation at the scene of the wreck today, W. F. Thiehoff of Chicago, general manager of the Burlington lines east of the Missouri River, made the statement that the train had been deliberately derailed by train wreckers.

The train was 23 minutes late leaving St. Joseph and was running more than 40 miles an hour. The engine, two baggage and express cars and three chair cars went into the ditch and the baggage cars were almost demolished.

The sleeper did not leave the track. There were 100 passengers on the train.

The engineer and fireman saved themselves by jumping as the engine went over on its side. The baggage cars had to be chopped open in order to release the baggage men and express messenger.

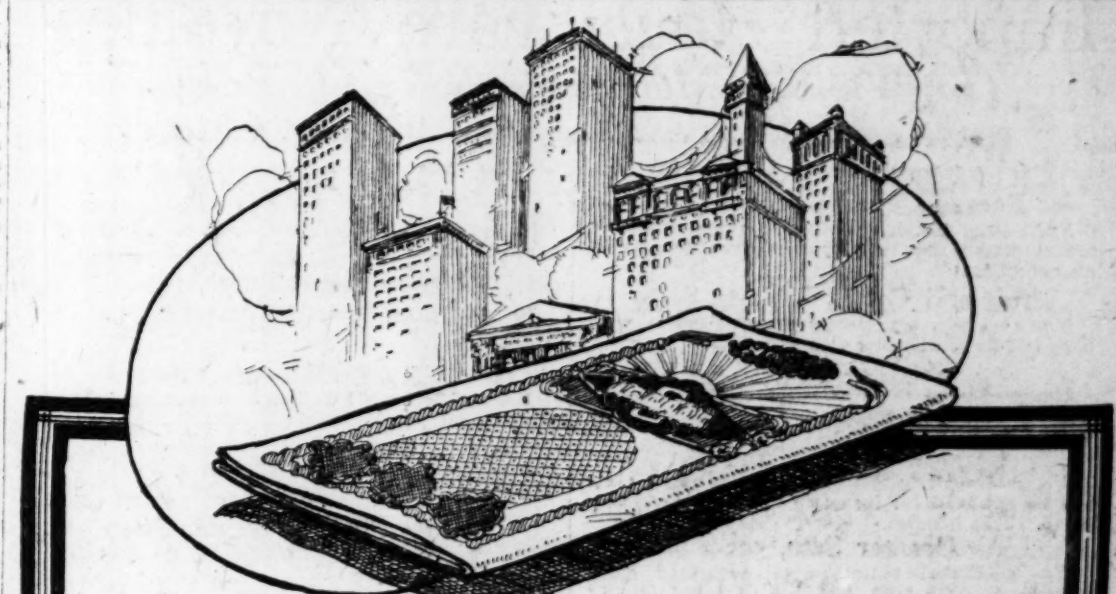
The wrecked train was due in St. Louis at 7:15 o'clock this morning, but was annulled. St. Louis passengers will be transferred to No. 14; the first train to pass after the track is cleared. This train is expected to arrive at Union Station at its regular time, 6:40 p. m.

place in the way of protests at Lausanne she set at Genoa. The 1,331 experts yesterday walked out of the meeting which was discussing the Dardanelles and the Bosphorus as a protest against the alleged exclusion of the Russians from important periods of the straits negotiations. Later the Russian delegation officially notified the three presidents of the conference of Russia's unalterable determination to abandon none of her rights in the negotiations over the straits which directly affect her vital interests.

Prince Christopher Sails for U. S.

By the Associated Press.

SOUTHAMPTON, Dec. 13.—Prince Christopher of Greece, with his wife, Princess Anastasia (the former Mrs. William B. Leeds), were passengers on the liner Olympic, which sailed today for New York.



Good Municipal Bonds Make an Ideal Investment

Municipal Bonds, including the obligations of States, Counties, Cities, Towns, Townships, and Districts today offer men and women of moderate means splendid investment opportunities.

The principal and the interest are payable directly from taxes levied against all taxable property. These taxes are a First Lien, and come before first mortgages on all real estate within the bounds of the municipality issuing the bonds.

The current rate of interest on sound Municipal Bonds at the present time is comparatively high considering their safety. Usually these bonds are exempt from Federal and State Income taxes and in some cases from Personal Property taxation.

Good Municipal Bonds may be purchased from the reputable investment houses, banks or trust companies which advertise in the Post-Dispatch. Read their announcements today—every day.

POST-DISPATCH St. Louis' Greatest Buying Guide

Until Christmas—Store Hours: 9 to 6 o'Clock

STIX, BAER & FULLER

GRAND-LEADER

Low Prices on Toys

Horsman Doll
\$9.95
COMPOSITION head, arms and legs, sleeping eyes, bobbed wig, dressed in crepe knickers with hat to match; in assorted colors; shoes and stockings; height 22 inches.

Violin, \$1.19
Well made, with cat gut strings; length 22 inches.

Moving Picture Machine
\$7.69
Very latest type of metal, wearing parts of brass; has powerful triple lenses; throws a large, clear picture, can be used as a magic lantern; slides and film with each machine.

Bing Electrical Railroad
\$5.49
Consists of electric type engine, with reverse, 3 coaches, 8 sections of curved track and 4 sections of straight track, with rheostat.

Lead Soldiers
\$1.19
Ten Lead Soldiers with rider, attractively finished in colors; packed in a wooden box.

Child's Tea Set, 98c
Decorative floral design, with blue border; ten pieces in set.

Wood Building Blocks, 79c
Fine quality of Wood Building Blocks, instructions and designs, with each; packed in a wooden box.

Child's Chocolate Set, \$3.29
17-piece high-grade chocolate set, of blue with floral design, gold trimmed.

Uncle Sam Banks
\$2.19
Three-coin Banks, of sheet steel, attractively decorated.

Doll Carriage, \$13.50
Pullman Carriage, made of fiber, has reclining back, 8-in. rubber tired wheels, all-steel gear, with continuous pusher, upholstered in red; choice of cream, gray or blue finish.

Jumping Ropes, 39c
Handles finished in red enamel, trimmed in gold; large size.

Two Cedar Chest Specials

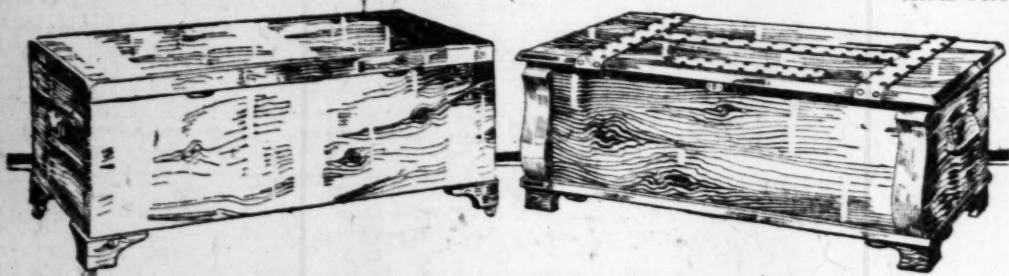
That Suggest Giving a Useful Gift

At \$16.75

At \$24.50

COPPER-TRIMMED Chests of best grade Tennessee red cedar; in dull finish. Made with dustproof lid; complete with lock, key and casters. 42 inches long.

WELL-CONSTRUCTED Chests of fine red cedar, with highly polished surface. Plain model, with round-corner trunk-style lid. 42 inches long, 20 inches wide and 19 inches high.

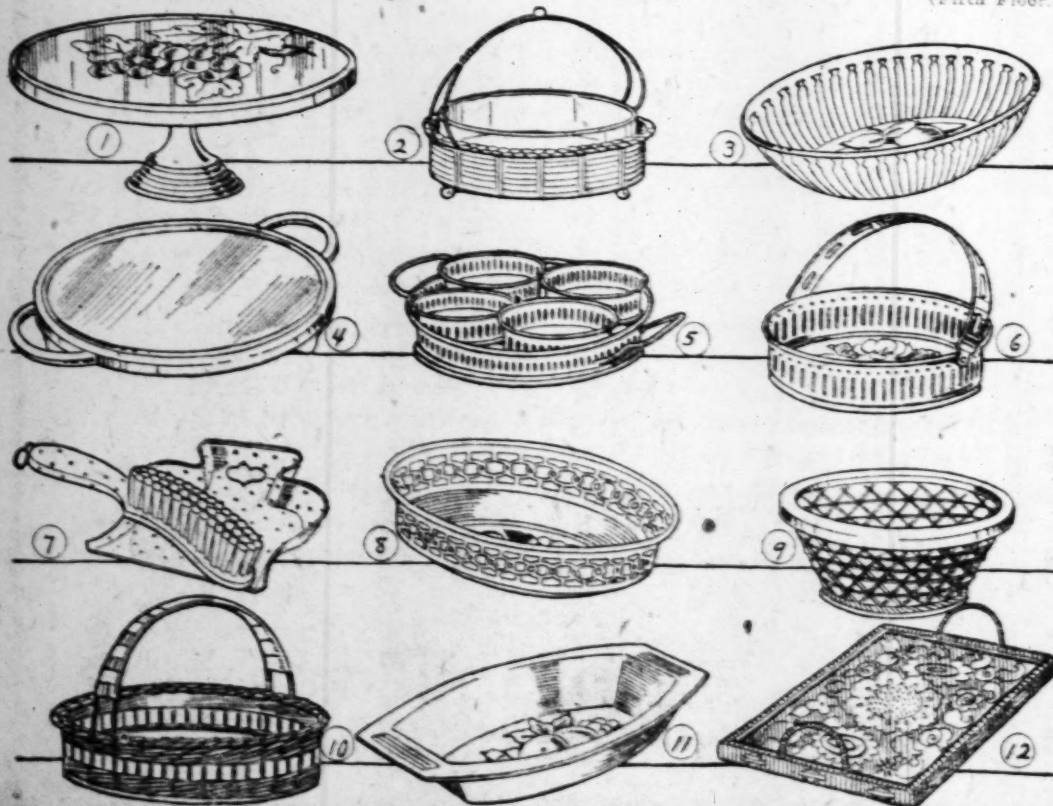


Imported Houseware Novelties

That Will Solve Many a Perplexing Gift Problem

WE are showing, without number, imported Novelties in the Houseware Store that are suitable for gifts. A few illustrated as a guide.

- Footed Cake Servers, \$2.98**
No. 1—Large size tile Cake Servers, stand on nickel plated foot. Many attractive designs to choose from.
- Fruit and Candy Baskets, \$2.49**
No. 2—Large size white metal Baskets with high handle and fitted with glass inset.
- Roll Trays, 39c**
No. 3—Round or oval shape, with attractive decorations, open work sides in which ribbon can be inserted.
- Glass Trays, 69c and 98c**
No. 4—Round double Glass Trays; upper glass can be removed for inserting doilies or any fancy piece. Side handles.
- Coaster Sets, 59c**
No. 5—Nickel plated, with decorated glass bottom, 6½-inch tray, fitted with 4 coasters to match.
- Bonbon Baskets, 39c**
No. 6—Well made round or oval shape, glass covered decorated bottoms; with swinging handles. 5½-inch size, 79c; 7½-inch size, 98c.
- Fancy Bread Trays, 79c**
No. 7—Full size attractive Sets, with tray and brush to match.
- Sewing Baskets, 19c, 25c, 35c**
No. 8—Well made wicker Baskets, round shape with nickel plated rims. 8½-inch size, 19c; 9½-inch size, 25c; 10½-inch size, 35c.
- Wicker Fruit Baskets, \$1.49**
No. 9—Large size with high handles and decorated tile center.
- Metal Bread Trays, 69c**
No. 10—Bronze finish Trays, with raised fruit design.
- Serving Trays, \$1.49**
No. 11—Large size oblong shape, nicely decorated glass center; wicker frame and side handles.



DOWNSTAIRS STORE

Christmas Slippers

5000 Pairs in One Great Group

Choice **95c Pair**

For Women and Children

THERE have been many Christmases since we have been able to offer such splendid grade Felt Slippers at such a low price, and those who have Slippers on their gift list can buy them in this sale to the best advantage.

Those for women are in light and dark colors, combination effect as well as solid colors. All have silk pompon and soft padded soles. Sizes 3 to 8.

The children's are the bootie effects with stenciled collars and soft padded soles. May be had in red and blue. All sizes to 2.

Also included about 500 pairs of fur-trimmed Julietts for children; have leather soles. Sizes to 11.

Sale begins at 9 o'clock.

(Downstairs Store.)



Beautiful Plaid Blankets

Special, \$5.45 Pair

THESE Blankets are of extra-heavy weight and weigh 5½ pounds. They are shown in dark colored gray plaids. Size 70x80 inches.

Flannelettes At 19c Yard

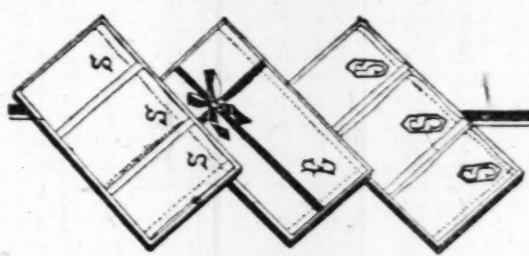
Kimono Flannelette printed in medium and dark colored kimono designs. 36 inches wide.

Pillow Tubings At 29c Yard

Good quality soft finished bleached Pillowcase Tubing, in the 42-inch width.

Scalloped Sheets, \$1.49 Each

Ready-made Bleached Sheets. Size 81x96 inches. (Downstairs Store.)



6,000 Men's Handkerchiefs

A Special Gift Sale, Thursday

6 in Box, \$1.59

It is a rare opportunity to secure all-line Handkerchiefs of this quality at this unusual price. They are carefully finished with ¼-inch hemstitched hems and are neatly packed in a gift box.

At 10c Each

The cambrics used for these Handkerchiefs are of a very fine quality. All have ¼-inch hemstitched hems. Some of them show the much wanted satin stripes.

At 6 for \$1.39

Men's Handkerchiefs of soft material. ¼-inch hems. Fancy colored or white initials embroidered in one corner.

6 in Box, \$1.19

Men's Cambric Handkerchiefs, with hand-machine embroidered colored initial in one corner. ¼-inch hemstitched hem.

Men's Cambric Handkerchiefs, with hand-machine embroidered colored initial in one corner. ¼-inch hemstitched hem.

Gloves for Gifts

Offered in Special Selling

For Women—
At 39c Pair.

IMPORTED chamois-suede Gloves, with self-two-tone and contrasting embroidered backs. They are in the two-clasp style and come in all the desirable shades and sizes.

At 75c Pair

Women's imported chamois-suede Gauntlets of excellent quality. They have five rows of self-embroidered backs and strap at wrist. Every desirable shade is represented in all sizes.

For Children—
At 39c Pair

BOYS' cashmere Gauntlets with leatherette cuffs. A very warm and durable Glove. Brown and gray and come in all sizes.

At 79c Pair

Children's Adler-make, lined cape Gloves in brown, gray and assorted shades of tan, in all sizes.

New Skirts

Of Wool Prunella—at Low Price

\$5.95



SKIRTS of a good, serviceable material in a neat, conservative style. They are very practical for general wear. May be had in brown, navy and black with stripes of contrasting color. Sizes 25 to 32 waistband.

Extra sizes 33 to 40 waistband may be had for \$6.95 (Downstairs Store.)

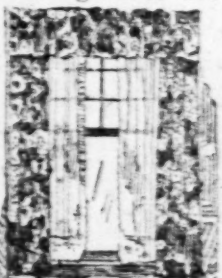
A Sale of Cretonnes

At 22c, 29c and 39c Yard

AN unusual assortment has been assembled for this sale of new Cretonnes at these exceptionally low prices. And those who are going to make Christmas gifts of Cretonne should avail themselves of this buying opportunity.

There are floral, forest stripe, conventional and many other desirable patterns, in beautiful color combinations. The assortment is large enough to satisfy most every demand. The prices afford unusual savings.

(Downstairs Store.)



Imported Gift Novelties

Manicure Sets
At \$1.25

Imported ivory Manicure Sets, in velvet lined leatherette box. A very useful and a most attractive present.

Boxed Stationery
29c to \$1.25

A beautiful assortment of boxed Stationery, in most attractive boxes. Your choice of writing paper or correspondence cards, in white and colors, also a combination of both.

Purses and Vanities
25c to \$1.25

A large variety of attractive styles in children's and misses' leather Purses and Vanity Boxes. They come in all shades and make an ideal and useful Christmas gift for the little ones.



(Downstairs Store.)

Men's Slippers

At \$1.59 Pair

THEY come in the Everett style and are comfortable and roomy. They have leather soles and heels. A splendid lot to choose from. All sizes 6 to 11.

(Downstairs Store.)

Christmas Sale of Hosiery

—Continues With Outstanding Values

THIS lot of Hosiery was secured from well-known makers, and, although they are termed "seconds," the imperfections are so slight as to be scarcely noticeable. Below is but a partial list of the items:

Men's Silk Socks
At 39c Pair

Pure thread silk and lisle Hosiery, with double heels and toes, in brown and colors. Seconds. All sizes; 3 pairs for \$1.19.

Men's Sport Socks
At 39c Pair

Drop-stitch weave, black and all the wanted colors. First quality and all sizes.

Cashmerette Socks
At 25c Pair

Heather mixtures; 1½ g h t weight, in all sizes.

Men's Lisle Socks
3 Pairs for 50c

Of fine-gauge lisle, in brown, gray and Palm Beach; all sizes; reinforced heels and toes.

Boys' Sport Hose
At 25c Pair

Sports ribbed Hose, in sizes 5½ to 11½. Extra heavy grade. Seconds.

Boys' Wool Socks
At 39c Pair

Three-quarter length, wool mixed and heather mixtures. Assorted color tops. All sizes.

Women's Lisle Hose
At 25c Pair

Of fine even gauge lisle, in black and colors, with elastic tops. All sizes. Seconds.

Women's Sports Hose
At 59c Pair

Wide ribbed; in black and all the desirable colors. Seconds.

Women's Wool-Mixed
Hose, 69c Pair

Black and brown wool mixed sports ribbed Hose, in all sizes. 3 pairs for \$2.00.

Women's Silk-and-Wool
Hose, 85c Pair

In black and all the desirable colors. Seconds.



Panel-Back Hose
At \$1.00 Pair

These are first quality and are shown in black, brown and colors. The popular "Polly Brand." All sizes.

Women's
Silk Hose, \$1.29 Pair

Very heavy pure thread silk with lisle garter tops, in black and all colors. All sizes; wide tops. Seconds. 3 pairs for \$3.87.

(Downstairs Store.)

THESE Slippers are made with new one

At \$3.00

Men's opera and Slippers of fine soft, with hand-turned soles, fashioned on comfort and are splendid value.

At \$3.50 to \$6

An attractive assortment of men's House Slippers, good leathers, in all colors. Opera, Evermeo, Faust and C styles.



See Our Other Advertisements on Pages 12 and 13

STIX, BAER & FULLER

GRAND-LEADER



JAPANESE KIMONOS

A Large Importation Secured at Low Prices
Ideal for Christmas Gifts

LUXURIOUS, exquisite in design and workmanship, caressingly silken in texture, these handsome Japanese Kimonos were secured at remarkable concessions and are offered accordingly at these substantial savings in time for holiday selection.

Mandarin Coats at \$7.50

Beautifully fashioned of good quality Japanese silk, these Mandarin Coats are ornate with elaborate floral designs. 45 inches in length, the colors are rose, light blue and wistaria.

Kimonos and Mandarin Coats at \$14.75

A sample line of Kimonos and Mandarin Coats, just arrived from the Orient, presents some exceptional values. Only one garment of a style, and, as the quantity is limited, early shopping would be advisable.

Japanese Kimonos at \$7.50

Fashioned of Japanese silk, the Kimonos for misses are offered in lengths of 50, 48, 46 and 44 inches. They may be had in light blue, rose and pink and are splendid values.

Women's Mandarins at \$12.50

Made of Jap silk and beautifully embroidered in rose, cherry and apple blossoms, these lovely Mandarin Coats are offered in navy, black and Copen.

Mandarin Coats at \$2.98

Cotton crepe makes these Mandarin Coats for women, beautifully embroidered in various floral patterns. 45 inches long.

Cotton Crepe Kimonos at \$3.98

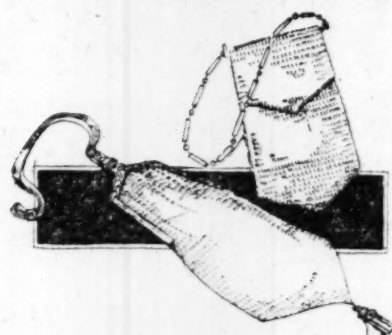
Of splendid cotton crepe; may be had in Japanese or American models. A large assortment of colors. Sizes for women.

(Second Floor.)

Gift Certificates
Solve the Difficult Problem
"What to Give"

THE Stix, Baer & Fuller Gift Certificate is one worth while. For the busy man who has a number to remember, Certificates will solve his gift problems. Through their use the recipient makes her or his own selection and the certificates are redeemed at any time in any department.

Certificates may be purchased at any Exchange Desk or at Public Service Bureau on Mezzanine Floor.



Beautiful Mesh Bags

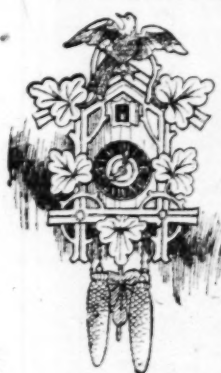
Of Sterling Silver
\$25 and \$35

VERY smart and very beautiful are these finely soldered sterling silver Mesh Bags, with exquisite small mesh. An accessory to complete the costume of the most fastidious woman. Dome style, with woven strap or chain handle. These are offered tomorrow at special prices, and present a splendid gift-buying opportunity.

(Main Floor.)

100 Cuckoo Clocks

Large Size, \$6.95



MADE in the Black Forest in Europe and imported here directly by us. They are 18 inches tall and 13 inches wide. The cuckoo appears on the half hour and hour to announce the time of day.

Most whimsical and attractive, it is admirably suited as a gift.

(Main Floor.)

Leather Handbags and Vanity Boxes, \$2.98

NEW and attractive Bags, in a variety of styles, including tooled leather combination effects, in tan, navy and brown.

Boxes have several fittings and large mirrors. Bags have coin purse and mirror. One and two handles, black bottoms, metal frames. A wonderful selection of kinds and colors.

(Square 7—Main Floor.)

THRIFT AVENUE

The Buy-Way of St. Louis

Infants' Creepers At \$1.50

Of poplin, chambray and gingham, white and colors. Trimmed with smocking and contrasting color stitching. In one-piece style.

Chamoisette Gauntlets At 69c Pair

A 12-button Glove and Gauntlet of chamoisette, in a good range of colors and sizes.

Flannelette Gowns, 95c

Heavy quality flannelette, in solid colors, as well as pink and blue stripes. Trimmed with braid, long sleeve or slipover style. Regular and extra sizes.

Novelty Boxes, \$1.00

Imported Handkerchief and glove Boxes, with French oval picture in center. Bound in gold braid. Also other Novelties of ecrú art cloth, including utility cabinets and pin cushions, with hand-embroidered basket in center.

(Thrift Avenue—Main Floor.)

Tapestry Runners At \$1.39 Each

Beautiful tapestry Table Runners, in several attractive patterns to select from. Size 58x18 inches.

Women's Juliets At \$1.19 Pair

Plush and ribbon trimmed Juliets, with leather soles and 1/2-inch rubber heels. Splendid quality and come in a good assortment of colors. Quantity is limited. Unusual values.

(Thrift Avenue—Main Floor.)

Women's Aprons, 50c

Of percale, in waist and bib style; some trimmed with rick-rack braid. Also fancy round and square tea Aprons, trimmed in lace and embroidery and hemstitching. Acceptable Christmas gifts.

(Escalator Square—Main Floor.)

Handkerchiefs

Box of 1/4 Dozen, 29c

Inexpensive as to price, are these three Handkerchiefs, put up neatly in a pretty gift box. They are all hemstitched and one corner embroidered in multi-colored effects.

(Square 2—Main Floor.)



Special Selling of Small Furs for Christmas

FROM icy vastnesses into the here of civilization where Furs fulfill their twin destiny of providing necessary warmth and beauty, these Furs of exquisite peltry were attained months ago, in a purchase that enables us to now offer splendid values for Christmas selection.

Russian Sable Scarfs At \$195

The exquisitely lovely Scarfs of Hudson Bay sable, Russian sable, natural blue fox, and silver fox suggest gifts of beauty. The skins are of a quality that identifies them as wonderful values.

Fox Animal Scarfs At \$79.50

Platinum Fox Scarfs, intensively favored by fashion, may be had in a selection of skins displaying unsurpassed beauty. Also blue-dyed, sable and black fox Scarfs.

Natural Mink Stoles At \$125

Large skunk Stoles and Cape Scarfs, of splendid quality and great beauty, are gift possibilities of interest at this attractive price.

Fox Animal Scarfs At \$24.75

Skins of a luster and quality unusual at this price are offered in these beautiful Fox Scarfs of taupe, brown and black.

Luxurious Skunk Stoles At \$98.50

Natural skunk of soft and silky quality fashions these Stoles. Mole Stoles and Fisher Scarfs may also be had at this price.

Stone Marten Scarfs At \$49.75

Two-skin Scarfs of stone or baum marten display tints and marking unusually lovely. Included at this price are some very handsome Fox Scarfs.

Children's Furs At \$2.75 to \$10.95

Cunning Fur Sets for the kiddies are cleverly designed and moderately priced in these two groups, offering splendid value.

(Third Floor.)

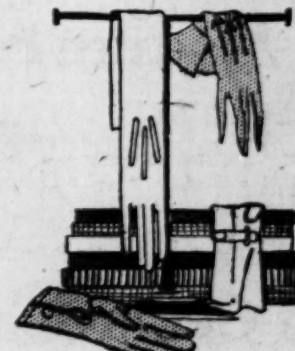
Values of Interest Suggest

The Gift of Gloves

ALWAYS appropriate, always in good taste, the gift of Gloves recommends itself to people of discrimination.

Listed below are a few of the excellent values included in our Christmas showing.

- Kid Gauntlets, \$3.50 Pair**
Women's pique-sewn Gauntlets, of kid and capeskin, with strap wrist and embroidered backs. Black, brown, gray, tan, mode and navy.
- Novelty Gauntlets, \$2.25 Pair**
Women's "Kayser" chamoisette Gauntlets, of unusual style, with embroidered or appliqued cuffs and heavily embroidered backs. Sand, oak, biscuit and pongee.
- Long Gloves, \$1.50 Pair**
Chamois-suede Gloves, in 16-button length, with heavy two-tone embroidered backs. All popular colors.
- Children's Gloves, \$1.00 Pair**
Capeskin Gloves, in one-button style, warmly fleeced lined. Brown, tan, gray and black.



(Main Floor.)

Attractive Values in TRAVELING BAGS

—and Fitted Suitcases for Women

WE are offering tomorrow, at prices that will win commendation, luggage that is a credit to the traveler. Practical and pleasing for Christmas gifts.

Fitted Suitcases At \$29.50

These Cases, of the finest crepe grain cowhides, have a removable folding tray which is fitted with 10 pieces of shell-style toilet articles. Other styles in fitted Cases. \$25 to \$35.

Women's Seal Skin Bags At \$12.95

Made of excellent sealskin, in 3-piece style, full leather lined, with three pockets.

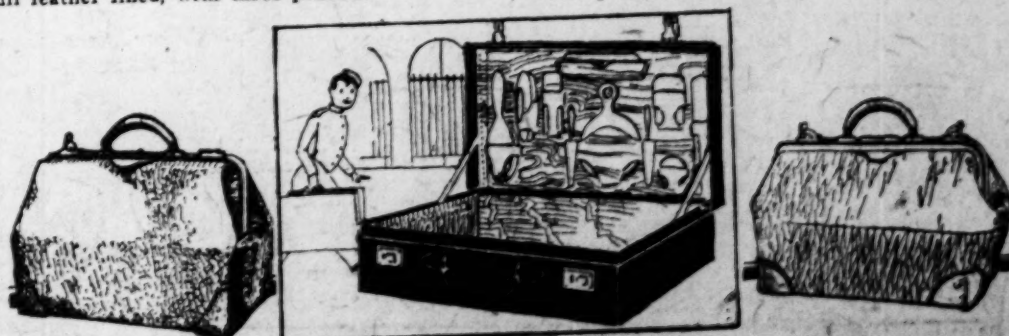
Men's Walrus Hide Bags At \$18.50

Made of a very fine grade walrus hide, 18-inch size, full leather lined, with heavy hand-sewed frame.

Cowhide Traveling Bags At \$7.50

These Bags are made of very fine smooth-top grain cowhide (not split), full leather lined, with three pockets. 18-inch size.

(Fourth Floor.)



An Important Selling of Men's Good Shirts

\$1.65



UNUSUALLY good materials and expert workmanship characterize the Shirts offered Thursday at this attractive price.

The assortment includes silk-striped and Russian cord Shirts, in neckband style, with soft turn-back cuffs. These snappy satin-stripe designs, in a wide variety of colors, are woven on light grounds.

The corded Shirts offer an interesting choice of white cords on blue, tan, heliotrope, gray or pink grounds. Very attractive, and unusual values at this price. All sizes are available.

(Main Floor.)

An Attractive Showing of Christmas Slippers

For Men, Women and Children

THESE Slippers for holiday shoppers are splendid values, and also provide an excellent opportunity to replace endeared but worn Slippers with new ones just as comfy.

At \$3.00

Men's opera and Everett Slippers of fine soft leather, with hand-turned soles, are fashioned on comfort lasts and are splendid values.

At \$3.50 to \$6.50

An attractive assortment of men's House Slippers of good leathers, in all desirable colors. Opera, Everett, Roman, Faust and Cavalier styles.

At \$1.25

Women's Felt Slippers in an extensive variety of colors. Moccasin style, with soft padded soles and ribbon trimming, offer excellent values in all sizes.

At \$1.50

Women's high-cut Felt Slippers with quilted satin trimmings and padded wool soles. Light and darker colors, in attractive contrasts.

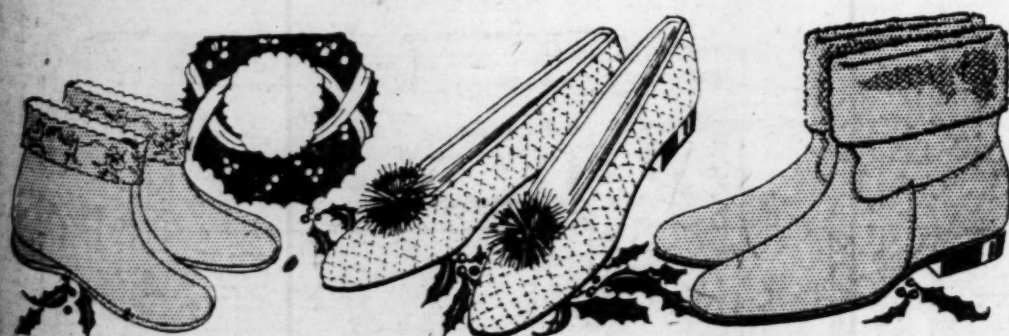
At \$1.95

Soft Indian Moccasins of fine elkskin leather display beautiful designs hand-beaded in very effective patterns, and are splendid values.

At \$2.00

Women's Boudoir Slippers of soft black kid, with hand-turned soles and silk pom-pom trimming.

(Main Floor.)





Store Hours:
Until Christmas
9 to 6

Scruggs-Vanderwoort-Barney

"The Store of the Christmas Spirit"

Only 9 More
Shopping Days
Before Christmas

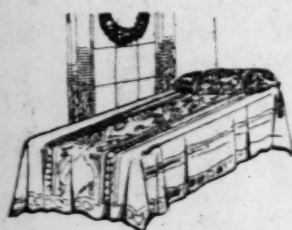


Gifts that Radiate Happiness in Your Home on Christmas and Every Day

Couch Covers

\$4.65 to \$17.50

A beautiful assortment in tapestry and Venetian weaves, in wool, silk and cotton; all over designs, also plain with borders.



Portieres

at \$27.50

Double faced velour Portieres, in color combinations of blue, rose, mulberry, taupe, red and gold.

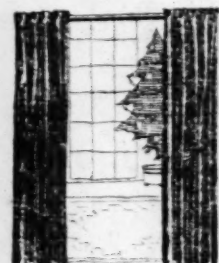
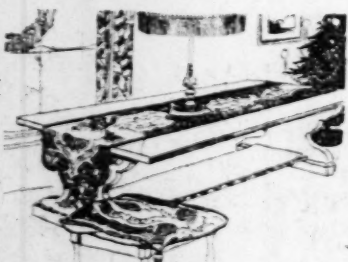


Table Scarfs

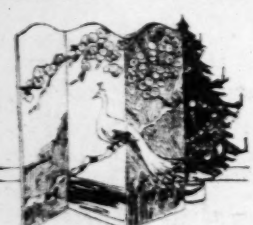
at \$3.85
and \$4.50

Imported French Scarfs in silk and tinsel brocade in various beautiful color combinations.



Screens Are Useful Gifts

2, 3 and 4 fold Screens in various styles, useful and decorative for partition, draft or fire screens. Prices from \$6.50 to \$48.



Tapestry Panels

\$1.85 to \$15

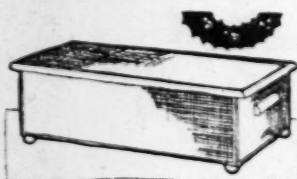
Imported scenic Tapestries, from the small squares for trays, screens or cushion covers, to the larger pieces for wall hangings. Ideal Christmas gifts.



Matting Boxes

\$4.50 to \$12

A large selection of these practical Boxes and Trundle Chests, covered with Japanese matting and trimmed with rattan.



Cedar Chests

Special at \$22.50

A most exceptional value in large-size Tennessee red cedar in beautiful finish, both dust and moth proof, size 48x22x21 1/2.



Short Lengths

—and samples of brocades, mohairs, tapestries, velvets, silks, cretonnes and linens, for runners, scarfs, pillows, cushions and screen covers. 1/2 to 1/3 less than regular prices.



P. S.—We offer a fine line of imported tinsel galloon, silk and metallic edges, fringes and tassels for trimmings.

Scarfs

at \$5.85 and \$6.25

A large collection of odd-shaped pieces for pillows or bench cushion covers; Scarfs for odd-shaped stands and tables, in tinsel and brocade.

Drapery Shop—Fourth Floor.



Wallace Nutting Pictures

The ever-delightful Wallace Nutting Pictures, in suitable frames; in Old Colonial Interiors and New England Road Scenes, showing characteristic blossoms and birches; sizes from 6 1/2 to \$20.



Casseroles

\$1.00

No home is complete without one. We have nickel plated casseroles, ebonized handles, 8-pint size.



Bohemian Glass Vases

\$4.50 to \$25

Bowls, flower holders and other decorative pieces of which there are but one of a kind.



Book Ends

\$6.75 to \$14

Designs include head of Lincoln and Dante, "End of the Trail," elephants and many other subjects.



Fireplace Bellows

at \$9.75

Of English manufacture, extremely decorative and practical, too.

Quaint Call Bells

\$1.50 to \$6.75

Replicas of Medieval Period designs and Dickens' characters.



Fancy Boxes, \$15

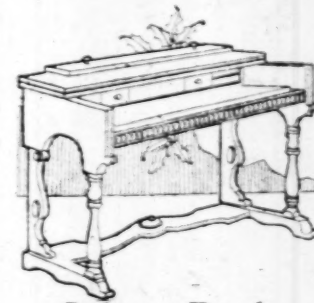
Fancy Boudoir Boxes with French pictures on panel lids, and lined with velvet.

Art Shop—Fourth Floor.

CHRISTMAS would be nothing without the home, and what is more supremely fitting than a real home gift? Why not buy each Christmas some odd furniture piece, something correct and distinctive? Buying in this way you will soon accumulate the appointments you desire. Make every Christmas a contribution to the "Home Beautiful."

Here are just a few of the charming pieces of Gift Furniture we suggest for this year's Christmas Gift to the home.

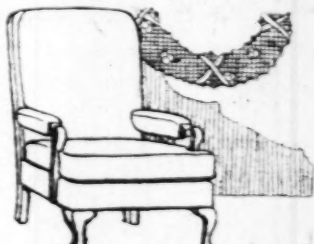
Gift Furniture



Spinet Desk

Special for \$69

Beautiful walnut, Renaissance Spinet Desk.



Coxwell Chair

Special for \$49.50

Upholstered either in velvet or tapestry; fine construction.



Console Mirror

and Table, complete

Special for \$39.75

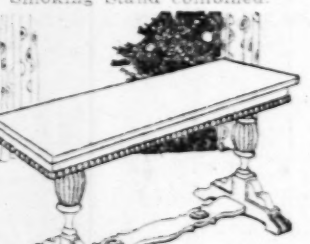
Furniture Shop—Fifth Floor.



Smoker's Outfit

Special for \$17.50

Mahogany Humidor and Smoking Stand combined.



Living-Room Table

Special for \$40

60-inch pedestal form Living-Room Table; fine quality.



Hall Chair

\$185

Upholstered in splendid quality of tapestry.

Furniture Shop—Fifth Floor.



Two Piece Living Room Suite \$225.00

Adjustable Iron

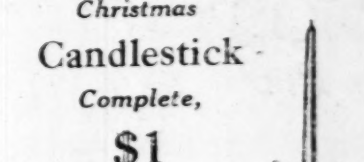
Reading Lamp

Complete

\$5.98

Practical gift for reading or cards. Has an amber parchment shade with black band.

Art Shop—Fourth Floor.



Christmas Candlestick

Complete, \$1

Has a quaint black and holly decorated holder and hand-dipped red candle.

Art Shop—Fourth Floor.



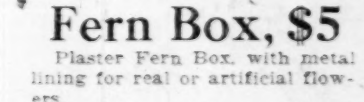
Mirror

Holiday Special

\$17.50

Oval mirror for living room or hall; first quality plate and good-looking frame; a regular holiday special.

Art Shop—Fourth Floor.



Fern Box, \$5

Plaster Fern Box with metal lining for real or artificial ferns.

Art Shop—Fourth Floor.

Compote Sets

Set, Complete

\$7.50

Consisting of bowl, 2 candlesticks and decorated candles.

Art Shop—Fourth Floor.

Wax Candles

5c up

Every color and size for table or decoration. 5c up.

Art Shop—Fourth Floor.

Vases

\$1.25 to \$12

Iridescent Vases, combining the most exquisite colors of blue, orange and green; several sizes.

Art Shop—Fourth Floor.

Brass Candlesticks

Each \$1.25 to \$22.50

—of apparently endless variety and sizes.

Art Shop—Fourth Floor.

Iron Floor Arm Lamp

Complete

\$11.90

—with adjustable arm and shade of stenciled design. Very attractive.

Art Shop—Fourth Floor.

Eight Piece Dining Room Suite

\$260.00

Exquisite Lenox China

"The Autocrat of the Breakfast Table,"—as well as the dinner table.—Loveliest China, in sets and single pieces.

Service Plates, \$34.50 to \$450 a dozen; 20 styles to choose from.

P. S.—See our table set in correct china, silver and glassware, now being shown on the Fourth Floor.

China Shop—Fourth Floor.



Gift Pieces of China

Dresden Fruit Basket, 11-inch wide; with pierced border, each \$1.50.

Dresden Compote, 8-inch diameter; 4 1/2-inch high, at \$2.75.

Coffee Sets, assorted solid colors; 10 pieces, set \$7.50.

Cake Sets, 7 pieces to the set; 15 styles to select from, a set \$4.50 to \$12.

Chocolate Sets, 12 styles, 4 to set \$12.50.

China Shop—Fourth Floor.

Living-Room Rugs

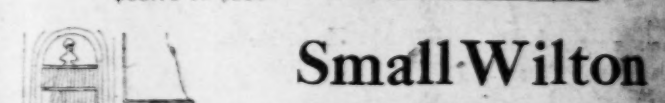
Buy a handsome Rug for the living room, dining room or bedroom.

9x12 size Axminster Rug \$32.50 to \$65

9x12 size Velvet Rug \$52.50

9x12 size Wilton Rugs from \$65.75 to \$135

Rug Shop—Fourth Floor.



Small Wilton Rugs

For the Doorway

27x54-in. size, from \$7.50 to \$14

36x63-in. size, from \$15 to \$22

Rug Shop—Fourth Floor.

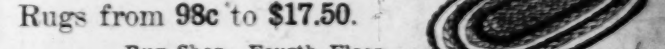
Rag Rugs

Rag Rugs for the bedroom, either oval or oblong

from the mat \$1.50, to the 6x9-ft. size at \$32.50 oblong

Rugs from 98c to \$17.50.

Rug Shop—Fourth Floor.



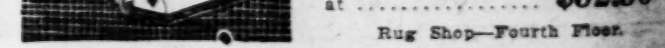
Carpet Sweepers

Here is a good Bissell Carpet Sweeper to keep \$4.75 to \$7.50

or a Hoover Electric Sweeper: \$65

Baby Hoover \$52.50

Rug Shop—Fourth Floor.

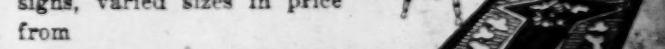


Hooked Rugs

A charming and unique gift would be this Old New England Hooked Rug for bedrooms; floral and odd designs, varied sizes in price from

\$25 to \$75

Rug Shop—Fourth Floor.



Linoleums

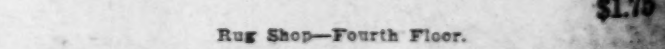
Have a nice shiny kitchen where the Christmas dinner is prepared. Why not a new, fresh Linoleum?

Cork Base Print, at sq. yard 79c and \$1

Inlaid, the sq. yard \$1.19 to \$3

Tile wood and block designs, special, sq. yd. \$1.70

Rug Shop—Fourth Floor.



AN OLD RECIPE
TO DARKEN HAIR

Sage Tea and Sulphur
Turns Gray, Faded
Dark and Glo

Almost everyone knows that Sulphur, properly combined, brings back the natural color to the hair when faded, turned gray. Years ago the only way to make this mixture was to make it in a mortar and pestle. Nowadays we simply ask a drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." You will find a bottle of this old-time preparation by the addition of ingredients, at very little cost. Many use this preparation now; no one can possibly tell you darkened hair, as it is naturally and evenly. You dampen your hair with it, then draw this through your hair, and the gray hair disappears, and another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, thick, glossy and you look years younger.

DR. KAHLER'S SHOES



Flexible Spring

Why wait until your arches fall before giving them the support they need?

The flexible-spring hidden in the arch of every pair of Dr. Kähler shoes gives support to the arch without binding the foot in any way.

Come in and try on a pair to-day

Stix, Baer & Fuller (Grand-Leader)

BOVA'S

SIXTH STREET MARKET

804 N. 6th St.

SPECIALS FOR WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY

Select, in cartons Eggs 27¢

Borden Milk, can. 1¢

STEAKS

Sirloin Round Porterhouse 15¢

Pork Chops, lb. 15¢

Smoked Cal. Hams, lb. 15¢

Bacon Strips, lb. 15¢

Beauty Apples, Four 25¢

EASY To Play To Pay

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Sale in Nugents Bargain Basement

GOVERNMENT NOT TO OPPOSE BIG PACKING MERGER

Nor Will U. S. Approve in Advance Proposed Absorption of Morris Company by Armour Firm.

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Whether Armour & Co. would proceed with negotiations for acquisition of the physical assets of Morris & Co., one of its competitors among the "Big Five" packing establishments, following the decision of the Government to take no action on the proposal at this time, has not been indicated today.

Formal announcement that under the provisions of the packers and stockyards act, which he administers, there appeared to be no occasion for action by the Government was made late yesterday by Secretary of Agriculture Wallace, who said his decision was based on the fact that there was nothing in the act which specifically prohibited the purchase by one packer of the physical assets of another.

The question to be considered, Wallace said, was whether the proposed purchase would bring about conditions or actions which would come within the prohibitions of the act.

There was no thought at any time in the Government's consideration of the proposal, he said, of approving such a transaction in advance. Attorney-General Daugherty, in his opinion, which he submitted, said the act was essentially a regulatory one and that its provisions did not contemplate nor require that the Secretary of Agriculture should advise the industry in regard to such a proposed transaction in advance of its consummation.

Wallace's statement.

Secretary Wallace, in his formal statement, said:

"Mr. J. Ogden Armour came here and stated in an informal way that his firm had under consideration a proposal to purchase the physical assets of the packing plants owned and operated by Morris & Co. The full details of the purchase had not been worked out, but it was expected that the purchase price would be paid part in cash, part in preferred stock and part in common stock, approximately one-third of the amount in each form. Mr. Armour submitted an extended statement, prepared by his attorney, dealing with the law and facts applicable to the proposed transaction and containing certain arguments.

"Contrary to what seems to be a general opinion, Mr. Armour did not present an application for the purpose of merging these two plants. He came with the frank statement that by buying the business of Morris & Co. he expected to be able to add largely to the volume of the business of Armour & Co. and thus effect large economies in the administration of that business. During the war, when there was most urgent demand for the largest possible amount of meat to maintain the allied forces overseas, most of the large packers made extensive additions to their plants at large expense. Under conditions which have prevailed since the war the volume of business has not been sufficient to enable them to run their plants at full capacity and, as the case with many other business enterprises, this has left them with an overhead expense out of proportion to the volume of business being done.

Economy Said to Be Object.

"By adding the business of Armour and Co. to that of Morris and Co., Mr. Armour stated that they would be able to effect economies running into many millions of dollars each year, and believed that because of such economies they would be able to serve the public more efficiently than at the present time."

TRY MAGNESIA FOR STOMACH TROUBLE

It Neutralizes Stomach Acidity, Prevents Food Fermentation, Sour Gassy Stomach and Acid Indigestion.

Doublets if you are a sufferer from indigestion, you have already tried various digestive aids and you know these things will not cure your trouble. Some cases do not even give relief.

But before giving up hope and deciding you are a chronic dyspeptic, try the effect of a little **Magnesia**—not the ordinary commercial carbonate, stearate or sulphate, but the pure **Magnesia** which you can obtain from practically any drug store in either powdered or tablet form.

Take a teaspoonful of the powder or two compressed tablets with a little water after your next meal, and see what a difference it makes. It will instantly neutralize the dangerous, harmful acids in the stomach which now cause your food to ferment and sour, making gas, wind, flatulence, heartburn and the various other distressing symptoms that seem to follow most everything you eat.

You will find that provided you take a little **Magnesia** after each meal, you can eat almost anything and enjoy it without any danger of pain or discomfort to follow. And moreover, the **Magnesia** cannot injure the stomach, as it is as gentle as the water you drink.

Thursdays

The Store for ALL the People

- Boys' Sweaters \$1
- Boys' Blouses, 2 for \$1
- Boys' 45c Knit Ties, 3 for \$1
- Boys' Caps \$1
- Boys' Sacking Blouses \$1
- Ivory Pieces, 2 for \$1
- Luxor Toilet Water \$1
- Men's \$2 to \$3.50 Sample Shirts and Drawers \$1
- \$2 Feather Pillows, Each \$1
- 1.25 Umbrella Holders, \$1
- 1.25 Djer Kiss Vegetal, \$1
- 1.35 Fringed Shades, \$1
- 39c and 45c Cretonnes, 4 Yards \$1
- Men's \$2 and \$2.50 Sample Union Suits \$1
- Men's 12 1/2 Handkerchiefs, dozen \$1
- Women's 25c Handkerchiefs, 6 for \$1

See What Wonderful Bargains in Men's Furnishings a Dollar Will Buy Here Tomorrow

- Men's 50c & 75c Ties, 3 for \$1
- Men's 50c Fancy Ties, 3 for \$1
- Men's \$1 Fine Cut Silk Ties, 2 for \$1
- Men's \$1.50 Silk Ties, \$1
- Men's \$1.50 and \$2 Mufflers, \$1
- Men's 35c Hose, 4 for \$1
- Men's Negligee Shirts, \$1

BARGAIN BASEMENT

- Average-Figure Corsets \$1
- Bandeaux Brassieres, 3 for \$1
- Muslin Wear \$1
- Flannelette Gowns \$1
- Bloomers, Step-Ins, 2 for \$1
- Girls' Muslin Wear, 2 for \$1
- Boys' 35c Hose, 4 Pairs \$1
- Panel-Back Hose \$1
- Men's 35c Hose, 4 Pairs \$1
- 800 Pairs Pumps, Oxfords and High Shoes Two \$1
- Stocking Caps, 6 for \$1
- Boys' Lined Pants \$1
- Combination Suits \$1
- Winter Hats, 2 for \$1
- Gingham Dresses \$1
- Gift Aprons, 4 for \$1
- Bungalow Aprons, 2 for \$1
- Sateen Bloomers, 3 Pairs \$1
- Girls' Middie \$1
- 29c Cretonne, 6 Yards \$1
- 1.50 Curtains, Pair \$1
- 49c Cotton Batt, 3 for \$1
- Apron Gingham, 7 Yards \$1
- 28c Percales, 5 Yards \$1
- 75c Bathrobing, 2 Yards \$1
- 29c Gingham, 6 Yards \$1
- Comfort Chalkies, 6 Yards \$1
- 35c Black Hose, 4 Pairs \$1
- 22c Domet Flannel, 6 Yds \$1
- 39c Underwear Sateen, 4 Yards \$1
- 1.98 to \$2.98 Suitings and Coatings \$1
- 22c Fancy Outing Flannel, 6 Yards \$1
- 39c Cretonnes, 4 Yards \$1
- 1.49-\$2 Serge Remnants \$1
- 1.50, 1.69 and 1.98 Silks \$1
- 79c Jacqu. Records, 2 Yds \$1
- Bleached Sheeting, 2 for \$1
- 76-in. Sheeting, 2 1/2 Yds \$1
- 17c Muslin, 8 Yards \$1
- 19c Muslin, 7 Yards \$1
- 1.50 Sheet Blankets \$1
- Double Bed Sheets \$1
- 39c Pillowcases, 4 for \$1
- Pillowcases, 2 for \$1
- Feather Pillows \$1
- 37c Turkish Towels, 4 for \$1
- 1.50 Pattern Cloths \$1
- Tea Towels, 7 for \$1
- 23c Nainsook, 6 Yards \$1
- Fancy Bath Towels, 2 for \$1
- Table Damask, 2 Yards \$1
- Sateen Bloomers \$1
- Bloomers, 2 for \$1
- Women's Kimonos \$1
- Gingham Dresses \$1
- 89c Union Suits, 2 for \$1
- 35c Vests, 4 for \$1
- \$1 to \$1.85 Waists, 2 for \$1

Thursday, the Banner Day of the Week

- 1.25 Toilet Water \$1
- 1.35 and 1.50 Curtains, Pair \$1
- 1.50 Curtains, Each \$1
- 75c and 85c Cretonnes, 2 Yards \$1
- 1.95 & 2.95 Boudoir Caps \$1.00
- 2.50 Blanket Bathrobes \$1.00
- 40c Pillowcases 3 for \$1
- 65c Pillowcases 2 for \$1
- 1.50 Jardinieres \$1
- 1.25 Nut Bowl Sets \$1
- 1.25 Candlesticks \$1
- 1.25 Salt and Pepper Shakers \$1
- 1.69 Atomizers \$1
- Men's 25c Handkerchiefs, 6 for \$1
- Men's 25c Linen Handkerchiefs, 5 for \$1
- 1.39 Cups and Saucers, Set of 6 \$1
- 1.50 Stationery, Box \$1
- 1.50 Canteen \$1
- Rag Rugs \$1
- Conquero Rugs \$1
- 1.39 to 1.95 Kimonos \$1.00
- 2.95 Boudoir Slippers \$1.00
- 1.40 Sheets \$1.00
- 38c Pillowcases 4 for \$1
- 1.50 to \$2 Pitchers \$1
- 1.39 Sewing Baskets \$1
- 1.59 Stamped Aprons \$1
- 1.50 and 1.25 Suits and Dresses \$1
- 1.50 Sateen Bloomers \$1

What you can buy with \$1.00

Thursday

- 1.50 Envelope Chemise \$1
- 1.25 & 1.50 Camisoles \$1
- 1.50 Nightgowns \$1
- 1.39-\$1.75 Gift Boxes \$1
- Women's 25c Handkerchiefs, 6 for \$1
- Men's 25c Linen Handkerchiefs, 5 for \$1
- 1.25 & 1.50 Knitwear \$1
- 1.85 Baby Dresses \$1
- 1.50 & 1.75 Sample \$1
- 1.50 Cut Glass Vases \$1
- 1.50 Cut Glass Bowls \$1
- Women's 50c Gloves, 3 Pairs \$1
- 69c Gloves, 2 Pairs \$1
- 1.50 Kid Gloves \$1
- 1.35 Chamoisette Gloves \$1
- 1.39 Driving Gauntlets \$1
- 1.50 Sewing Baskets \$1
- 59c Needle Cases, 2 for \$1
- 59c Aprons, 2 for \$1
- \$2 to \$5 Corsets \$1
- Brassieres & Bandeaux, 3 for \$1
- 1.50, \$2, \$2.50 and \$3 Brassieres \$1
- 73c Bloomers, 2 for \$1
- 1.50 Sateen Bloomers \$1

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Toys at \$1, \$2 and \$5

Most Exceptional Values
Toy Annex, 408 N. Broadway

- Sleeping, large beautiful Dressed Dolls
- Mama Talking Dolls
- Sleeping 17-inch full-jointed Dolls
- Sleeping Character Baby Dolls
- 1.75 set of Paints, a large set with imported sewing set; both for \$1
- Yellow Taxicabs made of steel
- Blackboards on casters
- A beautiful Sewing Box, with an imported Microscope, both for \$1
- A beautiful set of Cube Picture Blocks with a large imported top
- A 30-inch self-steering sled
- 2 sets of 11-piece Nestled Blocks
- 1.45 Miniature Railroads, high-speed engine, coal car, coach and 6 pieces of track
- Large set of Teapins, Express Wagons, Pony Horses
- \$2.50 Sewing Machines, made in France, and really \$1.89 Game Set of Parchesi game, with Outfit Board, both for \$1
- 1.25 Piano, mahogany finish with a good tone
- 1.25 large Aluminum Toy Tea Sets
- 1.50 set of 23-piece Tea Sets (decorated)
- 1.75 set of China decorated Tea Sets
- 1.50 Toy Folding Ironing Boards
- 1.50 King Air Rifles
- 1.50 Kiddie Car, well made
- \$2 set of Lotto with game of Checker Board, both for \$1
- 2 sets Tinker Toys, the wonder builder
- All Dolls have lovely eyes and moving eyes with real lashes
- Large imported Accordions with imported Harmonica Flute, both for \$1
- Large 14 and 15 key Toy Pianos, mahogany finish
- Large American Flyer Train Outfits, high-grade engine, coal car, 2 coaches and figure-8 track, complete
- Steel Kindergarten Chairs
- Large 37-inch self-steering Coaster Sleds
- Large 3-Kiddie Cars with rubber-tired wheels
- 1900-shot King Air Rifles
- Large 20-inch full-jointed Dolls; sleeping
- Beautiful 17-inch Dressed Dolls; sleeping
- Large, genuine, kid-body Dolls; sleeping
- Boys' \$8.50 Automobiles in bright colors, fully equipped with bumper, rubber-tired wheels, etc.
- \$6.95 American Flyer, complete Electric Train Outfits, with track
- \$11 extra-large, 28-inch, full-jointed Dolls with moving eyes and real heads, very high grade
- \$11.50 large Boy Scout Drums, very high grade
- A large \$5 full-jointed, 22-in. Doll with a beautiful \$4 white enameled Doll Cradle, both for \$1
- A \$4.50 large set of beautiful China, decorated
- Tea Set, with a \$2.50 pair ball-bearing Roller Skates

A Few

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- Imported lace
- Hose.
- Women's \$2
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Aluminumware
All First Quality, Highly Polished Ware
\$1.50 to \$2
Choice....
(Third Floor—Nugents)

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Gifts in Hosiery
For the Entire Family
A Dollar
Will Buy Here Tomorrow
Men's 75c All-Wool Half Hose, 3 for \$1
Gray all-wool hose. Irregular.
Men's 75c Thread & Fiber Silk Half Hose, 2 for \$1
In black and colors.
Boys' 35c Black Cotton Hose, 4 for \$1
Heavy-ribbed hose. Broken sizes.
Women's \$1.50 and \$2 Silk and Wool Hose, \$1
Black and colored silk and wool hose. Irregular.
Women's Panel-Back Hose, \$1
Black fiber and silk hose. All sizes.
Women's Fiber and Silk Hose, \$1
Lisle top fiber and silk hose in light shoe shades.
Women's \$1.50 and \$2 Lisle Hose, \$1
Imported lace and side cloth hose.
Women's \$2 Sample Thread Silk Hose, \$1
Full-fashioned thread silk hose, light shades.
Women's \$1.50 Panel-Back Hose, \$1
Sample silk hose, in light shades.
(Main Floor—Nugents)

Men's and Women's \$2.50 Umbrellas
Gloria cloth cotton covers, 26 and 28 inch paragon frames, baculite and amber ring handles, tips and ends; P. W. and opera handles for men.
\$2
(Main Floor—Nugents)

Sale of Boys' Two-Pants Suits and Mackinaws
\$9.45 Value
Boys' two-pants suits in cassimere and chevrons. Suits made yoke back, inverted pleat styles, belted model, two pairs of pants, full lined, button-bottom style. Sizes 8 to 16.
Boys' Mackinaws, full belted model, inverted pleat, convertible collar, muff pockets, in neat patterns. Sizes 8 to 16.
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Dress gloves in cape, mocha and suede; also Strap Wrist Gloves and Gauntlets.
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Men's \$2.50 Duplex Gloves
Men's duplex chambray like one-clasp gloves with fur-lined wrist.
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TWO BABY GIRLS ARE BURNED TO DEATH

One in St. Louis and Other in Granite City—Both Playing With Blazing Paper.

Two baby girls were burned to death yesterday, one in St. Louis and the other at Granite City. Both were playing with blazing paper, which ignited their dresses.

Ruth Meyer, 2-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Meyer of 4329 Clayton avenue, died at Barnes Hospital at 4:30 p. m. from burns suffered at 10 a. m., when she was playing near a kitchen range in her home. Her mother had gone to a shed in the rear to get coal and the child was pushing paper through a grate in the range. Her clothing caught fire and she was burned about the head, face and body.

Myrtle Worden, 2-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Worden of 2204 Pipe Line road, Granite City, died at 3 p. m. from burns suffered at 8 a. m., when her dress became ignited from a piece of burning paper with which she and her brother, James, 4, were playing.

NEGRO VETERAN AT HOSPITAL HAS 'SPELL' WITH RAZOR

Watchman, Who Demanded Pass, Retires; Disturber Fined in Police Court.

Asbury Heard, 28 years old, a disabled negro soldier, was fined \$10 yesterday for disturbing the peace.

He has been taking treatments at Veterans' Hospital, \$800 Arsenal street, for injury to his back suffered while in service with the A. E. F. at Brest, France. He left the hospital Monday and upon his return, about 9 a. m., refused to show his pass to the watchman.

The watchman pursued him to his ward, in which were a number of other negro veterans, demanding the pass and stating he would report Heard to the commanding officer if he did not produce it. At that, the watchman testified, Heard rushed to his bunk and obtained a razor which he brandished as he strode after the watchman.

The exit was virtually unanimous, watchman and all. The only occupant of the ward aside from the storming negro when a bedridden, disabled negro veteran was unable to move. Heard denied testimony he had been drinking and said he was "just having a spell." He said he had "spells" frequently, but Police Judge Homer thought a fine might reduce the possibility of future recurrences of the affliction.

MRS. PHILLIPS' HUSBAND TO LEAVE LOS ANGELES

Decides to Return to Former Home in Houston—Escaped Slayer's Sisters to Be Questioned.

By the Associated Press.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 12.—Armour Lee Phillips, husband of Mrs. Clara Phillips, convicted of murdering Mrs. Alberta Meadows with a hammer, who escaped from the Los Angeles County jail Dec. 5, plans to return in a few days to his former home in Houston, Tex., it became known today.

After his wife escaped, Phillips was detained by the authorities over night, but he convinced them of his ignorance of the affair, and they have given him permission to depart.

The Sheriff's office announced plans to question Mrs. Phillips' sisters, Mrs. Ella Mae Jackson and Miss Ola Weaver.

Confederate Veterans Honor Neff

AUSTIN, Tex., Dec. 13.—Gov. Neff has been appointed Assistant Adjutant-General with rank of brigadier-general, on the staff of Gen. Julian F. Carr, commander in chief of the United Confederate Veterans.

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I am Last Sunday's Post-Dispatch!

I am the largest regular edition of a Sunday newspaper ever produced in St. Louis—152 pages.

I weigh over two pounds, and, although I sold for only 5c, the white paper alone in my make-up cost 9c.

I am one of more than 410,000 copies—the largest circulation ever attained by any newspaper west of Chicago.

I consumed more than 15 carloads of white paper, and over 15,000 lbs. of ink; and, under the roof of the Post-Dispatch Building, over 800 men and women were employed in my production.

Outside of the Post-Dispatch Building, and directly engaged in making my contents of interest, were 1750 others, and even after I was printed I was handled by more than 13,000 branch news dealers, newsboys and agents who depend partly or wholly upon my sale for a livelihood.

Thus, a total of at least 15,000 people had part in my making and delivery.

In my 152 pages were the equivalent of 1122 standard size columns. Multiplied by my total circulation of more than 410,000 copies I represent a single column measuring 9,595,321,560 inches or 151,441 miles—sufficient to go six times around the earth with more than enough left to reach from St. Louis to New York.

In a single pile my height would be over 3 miles.

I carried far more columns of news and features than any other St. Louis Sunday newspaper, and 8356 advertisers trusted me to deliver their message to my readers. Both other St. Louis Sunday newspapers combined carried only 4219 individual advertisements.

I carried 208,320 lines of paid advertising, or 47,220 lines more than both other St. Louis Sunday newspapers combined.

Those who read me last Sunday know that each week I am the biggest and best Sunday newspaper in St. Louis. They will buy me again next Sunday and tell many others of my merit—thus will I grow and grow and grow because I represent an unsurpassed service to newspaper readers.

I am a newspaper all St. Louis can be proud of—A Greater Newspaper for Greater St. Louis.

I stand today, without a doubt, the greatest newspaper ever produced in St. Louis, but the progressiveness of my creators will result in the establishment of new high records and ideals and I shall pass into history as one of the stepping stones to greater achievement.

I am Last Sunday's Post-Dispatch!

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Greerley, Colo. Finds First
free verdict for Death of
Illinois Woman

Associated Press
EELBY, Colo. Dec. 9.—Four
was found guilty by a jury
strict Court here tonight of first
murder of his sister-in-law,
Edna Vera Skinner of Ler-
last July 2.

The verdict was returned at 10:20
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by at 4:30 o'clock tonight.

Judge Bradford congratulated
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Under the instruction given the
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BRITAIN WOULD RECONSIDER DEBT CANCELLATION IN EVENT OF REPARATION SETTLEMENT

Declaration for Granting Delay.
Says Home Has Come for Reparations: Repara-
tion Is Not Whole Thing.

MUSSOLINI IN EVENING
AT STATE DINNER

Downing Street
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KANSAS FIND NO TRACE OF
CHILD GONE SINCE SUNDAY

Search for Junction City Boy, 5,
Continued Throughout Night
With Lanterns.

By the Associated Press.
JUNCTION CITY, Kan., Dec. 13.—
Although searchers continued their
efforts throughout last night by the
light of lanterns, no trace had been
found early today of Marvin, son of
Mr. and Mrs. George O'Keefe, here.

The boy was missed late Sunday.
As the search was made Monday
by 2000 persons, a unit of cavalry
from Fort Riley and two airplanes,
there is only a slight possibility of
the boy having wandered away and
become lost along roads in the vi-
cinity of his home. Two theories,
that the boy had been kidnapped or
that he had been drowned in a creek,
were believed improbable because of
the lack of reason for the kidnap-
ping and the thorough dragging of
the creek near his home.

DRY AGENTS TAKE PILSEN PLANT

Action Follows Test of Beverage in
Chicago.

By the Associated Press.
CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—Deputy Uni-
ted States Marshals today guarded the
plant of the Pilsen Products Co.,
seized by revenue agents from Wash-
ington sent here on a prohibition
mission.

It was charged that two Govern-
ment operatives about a month ago
intercepted a truck load of beverage
from the Pilsen company plant,
which, when submitted a test,
showed an alcoholic content of more
than the legal limit.

Payne Again Heads Red Cross

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—John
Barton Payne was reappointed yes-

terday by President Harding as
chairman of the American Red Cross
for another year. The five members
of the organization's Central Com-
mittee also were reappointed.

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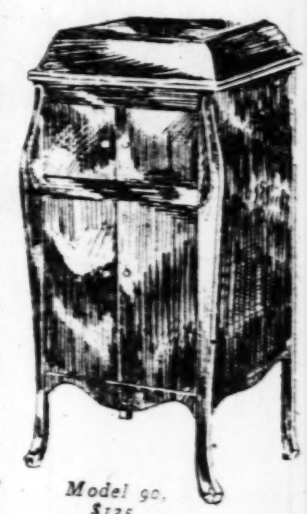
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Offering Most Unusual
Women's Coats and Wraps

Conspicuous for excellent fabrics and furs, correct
tailoring and smartest of styles. All sizes for women

\$25 and \$55

TOMORROW we shall offer, at prices most unusual at this time of the year, a tre-
mendous group of handsome Winter Coats. Special prices are quoted which for-
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These beautiful Coats and Wraps, in all styles, including blouse and straightline, are
of such deep-pile fabrics as fashiona, gerona, Normandy, Coronado, velourine, veldyne.
Richly trimmed in skunk marten, wolf, fox, brown and caracul. Silk and crepe de chine
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In blue, navy, brown, cocoa and Sorrento blue.

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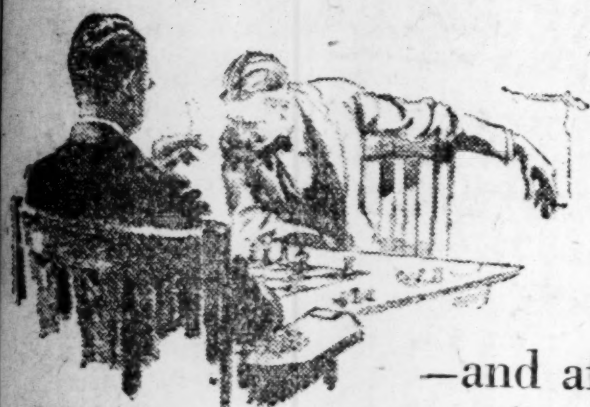
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Boiler Firm Increases Stock.
The Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Stockholders of the Babcock & Wilcox Co. today voted to increase the company's capital stock from \$15,000,000 to \$25,000,000, of which \$5,000,000 will be distributed as a stock dividend, leaving \$20,000,000 for the company's working capital.

boiler manufacturers, have authorized an increase in capital stock from \$15,000,000 to \$25,000,000, of which \$5,000,000 will be distributed as a stock dividend, leaving \$20,000,000 for the company's working capital.



Let Fatima smokers tell you

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FATIMA CIGARETTES

At its new low price—Fatima is making literally thousands of new friends.

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Your Christmas Gift to the Family One of These Splendid Player-Pianos

To be enjoyed on Christmas Day—to give pleasure throughout the years that follow—to leave each member of the family better educated and possessed of broader culture—all this is accomplished by the instrument purchased from our Christmas offering.

Priced at **\$345.00**

These instruments are installed with a player action of national reputation. The player action is especially equipped with the latest improved devices to render full artistic interpretation, so simple in construction that a child can play them.

Every instrument is sold with a double guarantee, one by the manufacturer and one by Stix, Baer & Fuller.

\$10 First Payment—\$10 a Month

Included with each purchase is a combination bench to match and a liberal selection of the latest music rolls.

Our liberal service included with each purchase.

Come in and let one of our salesmen explain and demonstrate its qualities to you.

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GOOD START MADE ON SUBSCRIPTIONS TO FESTIVAL FUND

Lists of Contributions to Provide Christmas Baskets Already Sent In by Several Establishments.

BLANKS STILL ARE BEING DISTRIBUTED

Investigation of Applications for Food Supplies Is Begun—No Solicitation of Cash Is Authorized.

CONTRIBUTIONS	
Previously acknowledged	\$71.00
R. H. Keiser, 606 Security Bldg.	5.00
Mutual Collection Co., S. A. Anderson, 207 Victoria Bldg.	5.00
Joseph Wachtel, International Life Bldg.	5.00
G. F. Heffernan, 214 Walnwright Bldg.	2.00
A. E.	25.00
H. W. E., J. W. E. and M. B. 12	3.00
M. Naylor	2.00
Esther M. Steinhaufel and Alvin J. Steinhaufel	1.00
Children of America Loyalty League list, 907 Victoria Bldg.	7.00
Chas. C. Jensen list, 1318 Chemical Bldg.	7.00
De Martini & Zerega Agency list, 220 Title Guar. Bldg.	4.50
Edw. L. Bakewell list, 118 N. 7th st.	11.00
Tennessee Central Ry. Co. list, 501 Central National Bank Bldg.	1.50
Meyer Tailoring Co. list, 614 Pine st.	3.00
Conrad Paeben list, 719 Title Guaranty Bldg.	3.00
W. S. Strubling list, 908 Security Bldg.	10.00
Stewart Electric Co. list, 107 N. 11th st.	1.00
Wall Subscription Co. list, 727 Victoria Bldg.	5.00
Drees Bldg. & Construction Co. list, 1211 International Life Bldg.	5.00
St. Louis Christian Advocate list, 407 Security Bldg.	1.00
Total	\$678.00

Although the distribution of the subscription lists for the Post-Dispatch Christmas Festival Fund began only last Monday, returns have been made from several offices and business establishments and a creditable start made toward the \$15,000 needed to finance the twenty-third annual community festival. The distribution of lists will be continued until the entire 16,000 have been placed, when the recheck will be made by young women workers. The second visit will be made so that additional lists may be left where needed and to see that the original list has not been forgotten or mislaid. If extra lists are desired immediately they will be sent in response to telephoned requests.

As has been stated from time to time in the Post-Dispatch, there are no solicitors of cash donations for the fund and anyone endeavoring to collect money in the name of the fund is an imposter and should be reported immediately to the secretary of the Executive Committee, Post-Dispatch, Olive 6600 or Central 6600.

Investigation of applications for Christmas dinner baskets, which are being filed daily by letter and in person at the information desk of the Post-Dispatch, was begun yesterday. A staff of trained social workers, under the direction of Miss Emma C. Puschner of the Board of Children's Guardians, is handling this work. Applications will be received until Dec. 18, when the list will be closed to allow time for cross-checking to eliminate duplication and to enable the Food Purchasing Committee to buy supplies.

Plans for the packing of the dinner baskets and for the elaborate festival at the Coliseum Christmas morning are taking definite shape and virtually the only thing of importance left to be done is the raising of the festival fund to the amount necessary to meet expenses.

Individual contributions may be sent directly to the cashier of the Post-Dispatch. All will be acknowledged in the columns of the Post-Dispatch.

YOUTH WHO BROKE JAIL GETS 3 YEARS FOR ATTACK ON WARDEN

Claire Rush, 19, Was One of Six Prisoners Who Escaped at Clayton on Oct. 15.

Claire Rush, 19 years old, was convicted in Judge McElhinney's court at Clayton yesterday of assault with intent to kill, incident to his escape from jail Oct. 15, and his punishment was fixed at a term of three years in the penitentiary.

He was one of six who escaped and one of three who were recaptured. The assault was committed on William Grupp Jr., jail warden. A charge of robbery, in the taking of Grupp's automobile, is also pending against him. These charges have taken precedence of that of burglary, on which he was originally held.

Robert Kleasen, one of those who escaped and was recaptured, has gone to the penitentiary to begin a 40-year sentence for robbery.



A Partial List of Artists

Paderewski
Ostap Gabrilowitch
Josef Hofmann
Camille Saint-Saens
Rudolph Ganz
Felix Arndt
Fannie Bloomfield-Zeisler
Josef Lhevinne
Lee Roberts
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ONLY those who own a piano equipped with the Celco Reproducing Medium can fully appreciate what it means to have the whole range of music at one's command—plus the interpretation and technique of the master pianists.

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The Independent Grocer Service Versus Non-Service

No. 9 of a Series

Whether the individual grocer operates on a cash-and-carry basis, or extends credit for a week, two weeks or a month and also delivers purchases to his customers, does not, in the end, add to his profits. That is to say, while the independent grocer who extends credit and "delivers the goods" must make more because of the service he renders the housewife, the latter pays only the cost of that service and nothing more.

The grocer's net profit at the end of the year is no greater when operated on a full service basis than if his customers paid cash and carried the goods home with them. What is saved by the "lady of the house" when performing her own service is contributed by her in time going to the store and in being her own delivery conveyance.

From the standpoint of the consumer, the point to be considered is that the grocer himself does not, as a rule, profit more whether he renders special service to his patrons, carries the account and delivers the purchases at the kitchen door and charging the exact cost thereof, or his customers prefer to assume that burden by paying cash and being their own carrier.

The whole problem for the housewife, getting down to hard pan facts, is whether she can spare her time to do her own shopping and whether her time and effort is worth the difference. The fact is, thousands of them like to pay cash and carry home their purchases while thousands of others prefer to have the grocer render that service to them. It follows, therefore, that the housewife is not "stung" whichever system she prefers.

The Harvard University Bureau of Research reports the average net profit of the retail grocer as 2½ cents on each dollar of sales. The Joint Commission of Agricultural Inquiry, after a most exhaustive investigation at the request of Congress, reports the same result.

With that sort of unbiased confirmation of the economical operation of the retail grocery store no housewife can go astray who patronizes the independent grocer.

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Amos-James Haas-Lieber Scudders-Gale
Grocer Co. Grocer Co. Grocer Co.

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"Trade with your independent grocer; he treats you right"

Too Much Uric Acid?

USE THE WILLIAMS TREATMENT
85 Cent Bottle (32 Doses) FREE

Why start the day "Worn Out"? tired, aching back and dull head—feeling miserable and discouraged? Be strong and well. Get rid of the "rheumatic" pains, stiff joints, sore muscles, "acid" stomach, kidney or bladder troubles so often caused by body-made acids. If you have been trying all sorts of medicines without getting relief, let The Williams Treatment prove how well it can make you. You are tired of "theories." You want health. You want to be well. If your sleep is interrupted every

C. E. Williams

FREE KNIFE
For Boys

Sixth and Franklin
Mail Orders Sent Prepaid

FREE Scissors
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Warm Footwear for All the Family

This store for many years has specialized on warm Shoes and Slippers, and this year you may select from a greater variety at a material reduction in price.

"Select Christmas Slippers Now While Sizes Are Complete"

"We Cure Cold Feet"

We carry Shoes for every purpose and to meet every need for all the family.

"Ladies' Warm Shoes"

WE CURE COLD FEET

Choice of all black kid, warm lined or felt tops; with leather soles and vamps; flexible soles and rubber heels. All sizes.

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"Men's Warm Shoes"

WE CURE COLD FEET

All black leather shoes \$2.50

Beaver top, calf leather vamps with heavy oak leather soles; for street or work wear.

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Two Trains Ordered Restored.
By the Associated Press.
JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 12.—The Public Service Commission has entered an order restoring M. K. & T. trains Nos. 17 and 18, on the Hannibal branch between New Franklin and Hannibal, effective Dec. 22. The trains were removed during the strike.

IF SKIN BREAKS OUT AND ITCHES APPLY SULPHUR
Just the moment you apply Mentho-Sulphur to an itching, burning or broken out skin, the itching stops and healing begins, says a noted skin specialist. This sulphur preparation, made into a pleasant cold cream, gives such a quick relief, even to fiery eczema, that nothing has ever been found to take its place.
Because of its germ destroying properties, it quickly subdues the itching, cools the irritation and heals the eczema right up, leaving a clear, smooth skin in place of ugly eruptions, rash, pimples or roughness.
You do not have to wait for improvement. It quickly shows. You can get a little jar of Rowles Mentho-Sulphur at any drug store.

YOUNG MAN RECENTLY MARRIED HELD CHARGED WITH FORGERIES
Started Drinking, Ran Out of Money and Issued Bad Checks Is Alleged Confession.
Walter Graf, 21, a clerk for the Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railroad, who lives with his bride of seven months and his parents at 3333 Indiana avenue, is under arrest at the Wyoming Street Station, charged with check forgeries amounting to about \$200.
Police Capt. Doyle announced today that Graf had made a written confession. His explanation as reported by the police is that while he earned \$115 a month with the railroad company, he got tired of working last week. He took a week's lay-off, started drinking, ran out of money and used the checks to "keep going."
Graf is charged with passing checks on four tradesmen by giving them the paper in payment for purchases, each time drawing the check for a larger amount. He directed that the goods he bought be sent to 3454 Iowa avenue. The forgeries were first discovered when delivery men reported that no one at the address given had bought anything from the stores at which Graf made the purchases.
7-Cent Fare Hearing on Dec. 21.
Special to the Post-Dispatch.
JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 12.—The Public Service Commission today set Dec. 21 as the date for a hearing on the petition of the United Railways for extension beyond Dec. 21 of the 7-cent fare in St. Louis, which the city is opposing.

\$1 DOWN
(Easy Payments)
Your Credit Is Good

17-Jewel, Adjusted Thin Model
ELGIN
In 20-year Gold Filled Case
\$31
All the New Patterns in Cases

OUR CREDIT PLAN
is confidential and so simple that once a customer always a customer.
When others advertise Watches, Diamonds and Jewelry on Easy Payments, think of INGALLS—the originator, 42 years in business. Get our prices before you buy.

Gifts That Last Forever!
Our store is crowded, as usual, at Christmas time, and it is a great satisfaction to know that nearly every buyer is a customer that has bought from us before—satisfied customers come back, and that is what we want. We strive to satisfy.

DIAMONDS
Wonderful Sparkling Gems
\$11.75 \$17 \$23
\$28 \$37 \$42
\$53 \$67 and up to \$400

Onyx Rings \$11 Up
Richelieu Pearls \$15 to \$65

Gift Suggestions:
Mesh Bags—Cigarette Cases—Vanity Cases—Gold Knives—Chains—Sundries—Rain Umbrellas—Silverware—Clocks—Dishes—Fountain Pens—Lamps, Etc.

Ivory White Toilet Sets In Great Variety \$6 to \$75

JAPANESE RINGS

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BROADWAY & MORGAN ST.
WE GIVE AND REDEEM EAGLE STAMPS

Dresser Scarfs
The alignment of white and color color Dresser Scarfs is well tailored and lace-trimmed with flit of dainty or elegant detail, also round corner and square to match, at 49c 69c 98c

GLOVES
98c Chambray Socks—Gloves—Fine, soft, smooth velvet—black with clasp at wrist. Brown and black. \$1.39

COATS
For Saving Women—Thursday 300 Fur-Trimmed
\$9.98 AND \$13.98
You Save Up to \$15
After-Christmas prices now. Why? We are overstocked on account of the unreasonable weather. Our loss is your gain.

20 Dresses
Silk and Wool Dresses; all sizes; sold at fraction of their original value
\$0.98

Children's Wear
Coats and Dresses; best assortment we ever had; all reduced. This is your big chance to buy the kiddies' useful Xmas gift. Dresses \$1.00 up; Coats from \$2.98 UP

SLIPPER BARGAINS
Men appreciate Slippers for Christmas gifts. Regular \$2.50 grades, special for Double Stamp Day.
Nice, soft, kid leathers, black or tan, in Romeo or Everett style, pretty quilted satin linings; most have rubber heels.
Sizes 6 to 12, at.....**\$1.98**

WOMEN'S FELT SLIPPERS
Values to \$2.00. Not common, cheap-looking ones. These are of extra quality felt and in a wide range of colors, arranged in two lots.
AND **\$1.00**

Women's \$4 to \$5 High and Low Shoes
See these bargains to-morrow, before buying elsewhere, at **\$2.95**

Men's Xmas Neckwear
\$1.00 Ties \$1.50 Ties
Men's Grenadine Ties; a large assortment of colors to select from. \$1 value.....**69c**
Men's pure silk Ties; a wonderful selection of colors and patterns.....**98c**

Women's \$2 Silk Hose
Women's silk-and-wool Hose; 5 different shades to select from. All sizes. Slight seconds. Pair.....**\$1.29**

\$3.50 Shirts
Men's silk striped Madras Shirts, all colors and sizes in the lot.....**\$2.49**

Bathrobes
Men's Bathrobes. Large selection of colors and patterns. \$5.00 value.....**\$5.98**

TOY SPECIALS
\$3 All-Iron Play Cars; disc wheels, rubber tires. \$1.69
\$2.00 Flexible Flyer Coaster Sleds.....\$1.25
\$2.00 Horse and Carts, assorted styles.....\$1.39
70c Wheelbarrows, special at.....50c
\$1.00 Wheelbarrows, special at.....70c
\$6 Imp. Jointed Dolls, moving eyes, curly hair.....\$3.98
\$5 Imp. Dressed Dolls, shoes, stockings, curly hair.....\$2.98
\$1.50 Imported Dressed Dolls; shoes, stockings, moving eyes.....98c
\$1.00 Imported Dressed Dolls; shoes, stockings, moving eyes.....70c
Teddy Bears.....85c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.49 and \$1.79
\$2.00 Ball Bearing Roller Skates.....\$1.49
\$2.00 Reed Doll Carts.....\$3.98
\$3.00 Reed Doll Suits.....\$1.98
\$5.00 Roller Bearing Coaster Wagons.....\$3.98
\$4.00 All-Iron Express Wagons, large size.....\$2.98
\$2.25 Baby Shooflys, decorated horses.....\$1.49

19c Linen Handkerchiefs
Ladies' all-linen Handkerchiefs; in solid colors. Nicely finished with 4-inch hemstitched hem. Special.....**10c**

Gift Handkerchiefs
The daintiest gift Handkerchiefs are shown in the baskets and jars. The assortment includes plain and embroidered Handkerchiefs in white and colors. Large variety for choosing.....**12½c**

Stamped & Pieces
Stamped Centers and Scarfs; of tan art cloth, 36 in. long and 36 in. square; stamped for Christmas, and Branch and Branch.....**39c**

\$2.50 Smoker Stands
Walnut grained, enameled, all-metal Smoker Stands with handsome heavy glass ash tray and match holder.....**\$1.25**

69c Rompers
Children's white Rompers, linen finish, completely made up and stamped for Christmas. Extra special.....**39c**

Manicure Sets
Imported 5-piece ivory-handled Manicure Sets, including buffer, file, pushers, etc. in velvet-covered case.....**\$1.25**

Men's \$1 Handkerchiefs
Good quality Handkerchiefs with fancy initial embroidered in corner. 4-inch hemstitched hem. 2 in. fancy box.....**69c**

Initial Handkerchiefs
Men's cream-white, soft finish Japanese Handkerchiefs with silk finish. Large size. Embroidered.....**10c**

The Craftsmanship of the Old Masters in the phonograph of to-day—

VOCALION Period Models

In the Vocalion Salon are presented Vocalions in cabinets in lines, woods and craftsmanship true to the ideals of the old masters who through furniture design found their expression of art.

FORTUNATE were we to receive these Vocalion period models from the New York atelier; not nearly so fortunate as we hoped to be. For so many are the homes that will want one of these beautiful phonographs as the gift supreme on Christmas morning; so many more homes than we have period model Vocalions.

The prices of these Vocalions, as of all Aeolian products, are indeed unexpectedly reasonable and, of course, anyone of them may be purchased on convenient payment terms.

The Aeolian Company
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QUEEN ANNE MAHOGANY \$350.99

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GOTHIC JACOBSEAN OAK \$395.99

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SLIPPER BARGAINS
Men appreciate Slippers for Christmas gifts. Regular \$2.50 grades, special for Double Stamp Day.
Nice, soft, kid leathers, black or tan, in Romeo or Everett style, pretty quilted satin linings; most have rubber heels.
Sizes 6 to 12, at.....**\$1.98**

WOMEN'S FELT SLIPPERS
Values to \$2.00. Not common, cheap-looking ones. These are of extra quality felt and in a wide range of colors, arranged in two lots.
AND **\$1.00**

Women's \$4 to \$5 High and Low Shoes
See these bargains to-morrow, before buying elsewhere, at **\$2.95**

Men's Xmas Neckwear
\$1.00 Ties \$1.50 Ties
Men's Grenadine Ties; a large assortment of colors to select from. \$1 value.....**69c**
Men's pure silk Ties; a wonderful selection of colors and patterns.....**98c**

Women's \$2 Silk Hose
Women's silk-and-wool Hose; 5 different shades to select from. All sizes. Slight seconds. Pair.....**\$1.29**

\$3.50 Shirts
Men's silk striped Madras Shirts, all colors and sizes in the lot.....**\$2.49**

Bathrobes
Men's Bathrobes. Large selection of colors and patterns. \$5.00 value.....**\$5.98**

TOY SPECIALS
\$3 All-Iron Play Cars; disc wheels, rubber tires. \$1.69
\$2.00 Flexible Flyer Coaster Sleds.....\$1.25
\$2.00 Horse and Carts, assorted styles.....\$1.39
70c Wheelbarrows, special at.....50c
\$1.00 Wheelbarrows, special at.....70c
\$6 Imp. Jointed Dolls, moving eyes, curly hair.....\$3.98
\$5 Imp. Dressed Dolls, shoes, stockings, curly hair.....\$2.98
\$1.50 Imported Dressed Dolls; shoes, stockings, moving eyes.....98c
\$1.00 Imported Dressed Dolls; shoes, stockings, moving eyes.....70c
Teddy Bears.....85c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.49 and \$1.79
\$2.00 Ball Bearing Roller Skates.....\$1.49
\$2.00 Reed Doll Carts.....\$3.98
\$3.00 Reed Doll Suits.....\$1.98
\$5.00 Roller Bearing Coaster Wagons.....\$3.98
\$4.00 All-Iron Express Wagons, large size.....\$2.98
\$2.25 Baby Shooflys, decorated horses.....\$1.49

19c Linen Handkerchiefs
Ladies' all-linen Handkerchiefs; in solid colors. Nicely finished with 4-inch hemstitched hem. Special.....**10c**

Gift Handkerchiefs
The daintiest gift Handkerchiefs are shown in the baskets and jars. The assortment includes plain and embroidered Handkerchiefs in white and colors. Large variety for choosing.....**12½c**

Stamped & Pieces
Stamped Centers and Scarfs; of tan art cloth, 36 in. long and 36 in. square; stamped for Christmas, and Branch and Branch.....**39c**

\$2.50 Smoker Stands
Walnut grained, enameled, all-metal Smoker Stands with handsome heavy glass ash tray and match holder.....**\$1.25**

69c Rompers
Children's white Rompers, linen finish, completely made up and stamped for Christmas. Extra special.....**39c**

Manicure Sets
Imported 5-piece ivory-handled Manicure Sets, including buffer, file, pushers, etc. in velvet-covered case.....**\$1.25**

Men's \$1 Handkerchiefs
Good quality Handkerchiefs with fancy initial embroidered in corner. 4-inch hemstitched hem. 2 in. fancy box.....**69c**

Initial Handkerchiefs
Men's cream-white, soft finish Japanese Handkerchiefs with silk finish. Large size. Embroidered.....**10c**

SLIPS
Women's lustrous black and white Princess Slips, cut full, hemstitched, trimmed. \$1.69 value, special Thursday at.....**98c**

\$2.00 to \$3.00 Lace Curtains
100 pairs of fine quality lace curtains, 2 1/2 yards long and 2 pairs of a kind; some have slight imperfections, on sale Thursday at.....**\$1.25**

50c Pongee
A wonderful lot of very fine wave, silk finish, mercerized light tan Togo Pongee, count 10 threads to the inch. In many cases will answer the purpose as the Silk Pongee for shirts, dresses and draperies. A big ship ment. Just in by express, goes on sale Thursday morning and all day at.....**29c**

Silk Envelope Chemise
\$3.98 Value
Women's radiant or cream color, tailored, long or short Chemise.....**\$2.49**

\$1.25 Linoleum
Four-yard-wide burrap back Oak Linoleum will cover average size room in one piece, avoiding seams; sells regularly at \$1.75; subject to slight imperfection; at 74.....**79c**

75c Congoleum
Gold Seal Congoleum nationally advertised. 75c per square yard, extra special, at.....**54c**

Boys' Two-Piece SUITS
Clean, smart, boys' two-piece suits and slacks. Made of the latest material, the most popular models; pants and jackets. Sizes from 8 to 14. \$10.00 value, special.....**\$5.98 \$7.98**

Graphophone RECORDS
Victor, Columbia and Emerson double-disc Records. Special, each.....**15c**

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Christmas Candy
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Fancy Boxes and
candy—Christmas
chocolate novelties
ing variety.

Our Delicious Fruit Ca
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At **75c**
For your Christmas
want our fruit cake, p
and filled with rich
and nuts.

The POST-DISPATCH is the only St. Louis evening newspaper giving Associated Press news service.

Stamps
Dresser Scarfs

49c 69c 98c

GLOVES
Novelty Gant-
\$1.39

SLIPS
Princess Slips, cut full,
98c

Stamps
\$1.25

Pongee
29c

Envelope
2.49

25 Linoleum
79c

Boys' Two-Pants
\$5.95 \$7.95

Graphophone
RECORDS
15c

Store Hours
Till Christmas:
9 A. M. to
6 P. M.

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St. Louis' Foremost Christmas Store
FAMOUS-BARR CO.
We Give Eagle Stamps and Redeem Full Books for \$2 in Cash or \$2.50 in Merchandise—Few Restricted Articles Excepted.
Largest Distributors of Merchandise at Retail in Missouri and the West.

Shop Early in the Morning

Shirt Buying Tomorrow Will Be Very Profitable—We Offer
Men's \$4 Fiber Silk Shirts
and **Satin-Striped English Broadcloth Shirts**
At the Very Special Price of... **\$2.95**
These are busy days in our Men's Furnishing Section—here thousands of St. Louisans are finding just the gift articles they seek—and tomorrow this special group of fiber silk shirts and silk-striped English broadcloth shirts will enable many to choose at a worth-while saving.
Made in neckband style with soft turn-back cuffs; a wide variety of neat and fancy stripes, also white satin stripes on white broadcloth. Sizes 14 to 17.
The Sale of Men's \$2 Madras Shirts
Continues Tomorrow, Offering Choice at
10,000 Shirts were involved in this sale, which began today, so assortments remain very complete. Every Shirt is perfectly tailored and cut extra full. A very comprehensive assortment of smart striped patterns in various colors; in the wanted sizes.
\$1.25
Main Floor

Famous-Barr Co.'s Gift Certificates
—Are practical gifts, appreciated by old and young alike—enabling them to choose what they most desire from our vast and varied assortments.
Obtainable at any Exchange Desk—for any sum desired—and redeemable for any merchandise in this store.

Basement Economy Store
The Sale of a Manufacturer's Surplus Stock Features
\$6 and \$7 Curtains
Special, Pair... **\$3.98**
Here is an exceptional opportunity to obtain new Curtains for the holidays at emphatic savings. Ideal for holiday gifts; file and Scotch weaves; full width and length; in white, ivory and beige.
50c Curtain Nets
19c Curtaining
50c Curtaining
\$2.50 Lace Curtains

Select the Regal Gift From Our Offering of Our
Entire Stock of Fur Coats
Fur Wraps & Full-Length Capes
at 25% Discount
on Original Prices
Those who have inspected our wondrous collection of luxurious Fur garments appreciate what choosing at this extreme saving means—and just before Christmas, too, when many are seeking gifts of real value, this opportunity will be most welcome.
Garments of mink, mole, nutria, kolinsky, Hudson seal (dyed muskrat), Alaska seal, beaver, squirrel, marmot, and many other favored kinds—every model authentically styled.

Many a Gift in These Handmade
Gowns and Chemises
Special at... **\$1.95**
Envelope Chemises and Gowns, scalloped or hemstitched edges; all hems and seams put in by hand. Some have hand-embroidered dots and drawnwork, others floral designs with inserts of caloda work.
Gowns in sizes 15 to 18.
Chemises; sizes 36 to 44.
Third Floor

Handsome for Gifts Are These
Dainty Handkerchiefs
3 in Box... **\$1**
Women's Handkerchiefs
Initial Handkerchiefs
Men's Handkerchiefs

Thursday's Feature Attraction—Women's
Silk and Wool Dresses
Out-of-the-Ordinary Values at... **\$10**
Panel-Draped and More Conservative Models
Don't confuse these Dresses with the ordinary \$10 Dresses. You will agree that they are rightfully worth a good deal more than \$10 the moment you see them. All newly arrived, and are being shown for the first time tomorrow.
Developed of Poirer twill, tricotine, charmeuse, Canton crepe and velveteen, in black, navy and brown. The trimmings are novel and effective, consisting of beads, metal ornaments and embroidery.

Men's Sample Gloves
\$2 to \$2.50 Values
\$1.49
Very good quality Gloves of horsehide, capeskin, suede and buck leathers in dress and gauntlet styles; in black, tan and gray; many have neatly embroidered backs.

"Betty Barr" Low Shoes
Special \$3.95 Value at...
Dressy Oxfords and oxfords, in tan, gunmetal and patent leathers, with neatly perforated tips, Cuban and low heels; Goodyear welt. All sizes, 3 to 8.
Men's Slippers, \$1.45
Romeo Slippers of felt, with flexible leather soles. All sizes, 6 to 11.

Christmas Candies
—of excellent kinds; packed in round, decorated tin box.
2 pounds of Milk Chocolate... \$1.80
2 pounds of Milk and Par Excellent Chocolate... \$2.00
Fancy Boxes and Baskets for candy—Christmas favors and chocolate novelties in interesting variety.
Main Floor

Women's Black Silk Hose
\$2.50 and \$2.75 **\$1.95** Grades...
Full-fashioned in grain Silk Hose, with little or silk tops; and glove silk Hose; in gift boxes if desired.
Lace-Clocked Silk Hose
Special \$2.95
Black, brown and other shades, with silk katter tops, lace clocks.
Main Floor

Remarkable! Thursday Only!
Chateau Gloves
\$3.95 Value at Pair, **\$3**
The best obtainable make of Gloves; black, brown and white Gloves with 2 large pearl clasps and embroidered backs.
Chamois Suede Gauntlets
—with long arms and straps all around, in brown, beaver, mode and biscuit shade; embroidered backs and contrasting hems to match embroidery.
At, pair... **\$1.25**
Main Floor

Many Would Like
Vanity Cases
Special at... **\$5.95**
Smart Vanity Cases in two sizes; of patent vachette or cobra, in brown or black; with lock and key, large beveled mirror, silk lining and two-tone imitation ivory fittings.
Main Floor

"She" Would Appreciate Receiving One of These
Bathrobes
\$3.50 and \$3.95 Values at... **\$2.95**
One of these Robes would be a practical gift that would last for a long time. Splendidly tailored of good quality robing, in a varied assortment of light and dark colors. Large or small collars and ribbon or cord trimmed. All have well matched girdles. Sizes 38 to 44.
\$5.75 to \$6.75 Bathrobes
Women's "Beacon cloth" Robes; cut extra full in width and length and shown in numerous light and dark colored designs. All have fancy silk girdles. Sizes 38 to 46.
Specially priced at... **\$4.95**
Basement Economy Store

Women's Silk Hose
Irregulars of the \$1 \$2 Grade...
Full fashioned pure thread Silk Hose; with little tops and reinforced feet. In black, white and colors. Each pair packed in fancy gift box.
Basement Economy Store

Bolster Covers
Special \$1.98 Value at...
Bater white satin Marseilles Bolster Covers; with scalloped edges. In a number of handsome designs.
Indian Head
Pure white, round thread Indian Head; with original mill tickets; for making fancy work, etc.
Special, yard... **35c**
Damask
Highly mercerized table damask; 3 yards wide, in spot and floral designs. Seconds of the \$1 grade.
Special, yard... **66c**
Bath Towels
Large size, extra heavy Bath Towels; pink, yellow and white with Jacquard borders.
Special Thursday, each... **69c**
Bed Sets
Heavy quality, white crocheted Bed Sets; size 48x66 inches in several designs, bolster cover to match.
Special at... **\$4.88**
Outings
Extra heavy quality Outing Flannel; 25 inches wide, in blue and white stripes.
Special Thursday yard... **15c**
Basement Economy Store

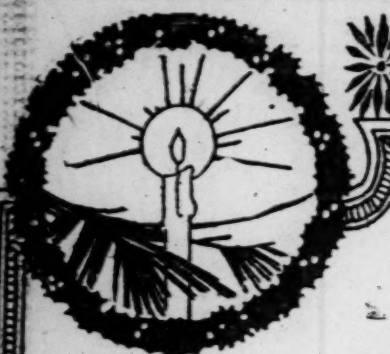
Fruit Cake
Our Delicious
Pound **75c**
For your Christmas feast you will want our fruit cake, properly aged and filled with rich fruits, spices and nuts.
Basement

Men's and Women's Umbrellas
Splendid Values at **\$2.50**
A fortunate purchase enables us to offer extreme values in high-grade Umbrellas—rain-proof cotton taffeta, mounted on Paragon frames, with bakelite ring or leather strap handles for women and natural wood handles for men.
Main Floor

"Roma" Pearl Necklaces
\$10 and \$12.50 Values
\$4.95
Ideal gifts are these 18, 20 and 24 inch strands of artificial pearls; solid gold clasps; each strand in a gift box.
Main Floor

Silk-Faced Duvetyn
\$3.50 Quality **\$2.98**
Handsome soft draping Duvetyn of exceptional quality, offered in a splendid assortment of fashionable shades—remarkable value for Thursday.
Third Floor

Just the Thing for Gifts—
Brushed Wool Scarfs
\$5 to \$6 **\$4.79** Values...
Big, warm Scarfs that are exceedingly attractive; all have deep fringes and many have pockets and belts. In a comprehensive showing of bright and conservative colors, also effective combinations.
Basement Economy Store



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Thursday Only—And Made Possible by a Large Special Purchase— Sale of Metal Table Lamps

—In Two Unusual Value-Giving Groups

The gift of a beautiful Lamp is a gift to the entire family, and in the following groups is surprising choice for those who would save substantially.

Table Lamps
\$15 Value
at.....**\$9.85**

Handsome designed bases of metal, with two-light sockets; shades are of effectively colored art glass, in six-panel effect. A group that affords unusual choice.

Table Lamps
\$20 and \$22
Values for...**\$15.85**

Ornate Lamps with metal bases, finished in brown, brushed brass and gold; two-light pull-chain sockets; shades of rich art glass, made in panel effect.

Fifth Floor

A Specially Priced Gift for Housewives— \$12 Imported Cereal Sets

Thursday **\$8.25**
for.....

15-piece China Cereal Sets, modeled in the popular square shape, decorated in various attractive floral border designs; sets include six spice jars, six cereal jars, one salt box, oil and vinegar bottles.

\$4.25 Fruit-Filled Bowls
Special, Thursday, **\$2.95**

Decorated Glass Bowls, filled with seven pieces of real looking artificial wax fruit, including a bunch of grapes. Select each as quantity is limited.

\$10.50 Fruit Bowls
Of brilliant cut glass; 9 and 10 inch sizes. Various handsome patterns. A limited number for Thursday's selling. Each, **\$5.95**



18-Piece Theo. Haviland Sets
\$15 Value
for.....**\$8.95**

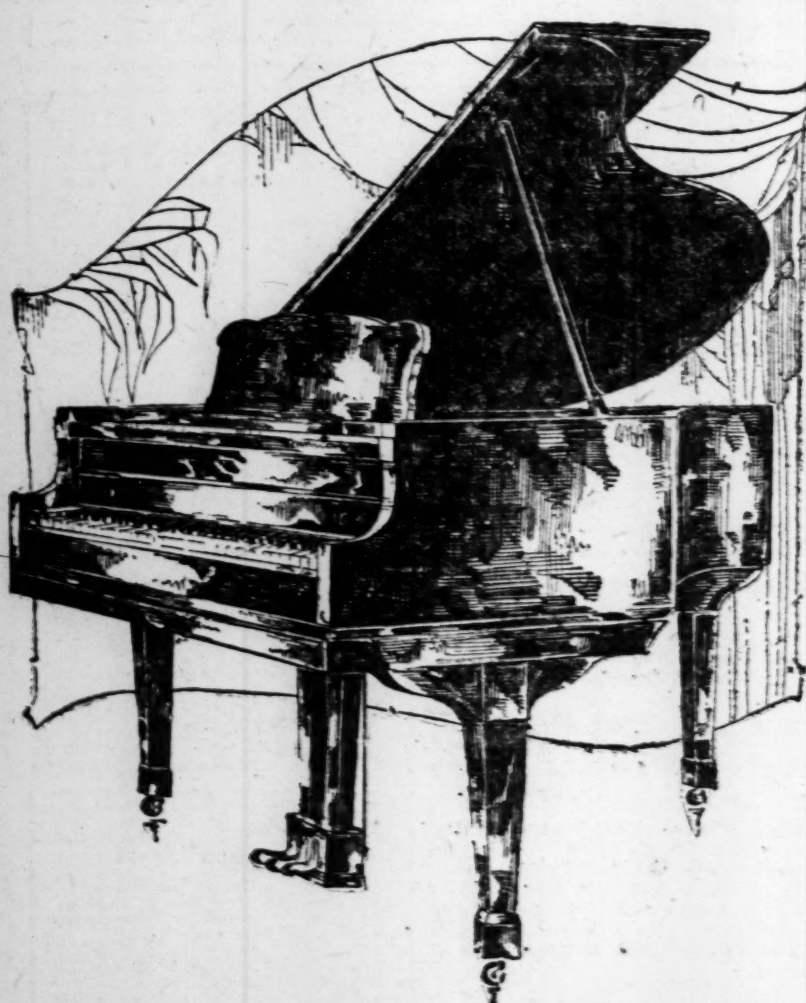
Theo. Haviland French China Sets, consisting of 6 cups and saucers and 6 dinner plates, in attractive border designs. Cups have coin gold handles. Limited quantity.

\$10 Pyrex Baking Sets
Special, Thursday, **\$6.75**

Handsome and practical Sets of Pyrex oven glass including 11 pieces in beautiful hand-cut patterns. They are splendid for table use. Limited quantity.

40c and 50c Cut Glass
Several styles of hand cut, blown glass, including water goblets, ice cream and sherbet glasses in various patterns. **29c**

Fifth Floor



A Remarkable Pre-Christmas Opportunity in

Baby Grand Pianos

At Our Special Price of... **\$595** High-Grade Instruments Throughout

Excellent Baby Grand Pianos which will appeal to the music lover seeking an instrument of quality at a reasonable price. With a beautiful tone, easy of action and handsomely designed, these Baby Grand Pianos should certainly be chosen by those who would install a splendid instrument in the home.

Terms as Low as \$10 Per Month

—bring these instruments within the reach of practically everyone. But you should choose at once, delivery will be made as desired.

Music Salon—Sixth Floor

A Splendid Gift for 'Him' Smoking Stands

\$2.50 Values for
\$1.95

Substantially built Smoking Stands of hardwood, with dark mahogany finish; measures 27 inches high, with removable glass tray, match holder and two cigar rests.

75c Briar Pipes
Dark finished Briar Pipes, with assorted shape bowls; have straight or bent stems.
Thursday.....**49c**

Main Floor



For Cheerful Christmas Trimming— Japanese Frieze Roping

10 yards **29c**
for.....

Effective for decorating homes and stores and easy to arrange is this Japanese Frieze Roping; shown in red, white and green, the favorite Christmas colors.

Christmas Bells for Holiday Decorations; each 15c; 2 for.....**25c**

Cut Roses

Per Dozen.....**\$1**
For Thursday only this special offer of gorgeous pink Roses, with long stems; packed in box, with bed of real ferns included; exceptional value.

Basement Floral Shop

Men's and Boys' Bicycles

\$37.50 Value,
for.....**\$27.50**

Well-made Bicycles, with double-arch frames of seamless steel tubing. Nicely equipped, with mud guards to match. High-grade equipment throughout, including adjustable handle bars, spring saddle, rubber pedals, coaster brake and guaranteed tires.



Sixth Floor

Marquisette Curtains

Special at, Pair.....**\$1.55**

Made of excellent quality mercerized marquisette, with wide hemstitched hem and border of rich Cluny lace; white, cream and Arabian colors.

Marquisette Curtains

Splendid Values, Pair.....**\$1.95**
Of splendid quality, dotted Marquisette Curtains; made with full ruffle and tie-backs to match; limit of six pairs to a buyer.

Effective Cretonnes

75c to 95c Quality, Yard.....**45c**

Handsome Cretonnes of extra heavy quality; many pieces in tapestry effects; excellent color combinations to harmonize with modern interiors.

Pongee Curtains

\$5.75 Values at, Pair.....**\$3.75**
Superior quality silk-mixed Pongee Curtains, finished with hemstitched edge, and shown in the natural tea shade.

Ruffled Curtains

Special at, Pair.....**\$1.65**

Made of excellent quality voile with wide, full ruffle and ruffled tie-back to match; limit of six pairs to a purchaser.

Austrian Cloth

\$1 Quality, Yard.....**58c**
Splendid quality; suitable for making roller shades, puffed shades and window draperies; shown in the natural color; 36 inches wide; serviceable and neat looking.

\$6.50 to \$7.50 Handmade Curtains

At, Pair.....**\$4.35**

Handmade Arabian Curtains in the natural shade, mounted on French netting and one of the most fashionable types of Curtains. Quantity limited.

75c to 95c Curtain Laces

Finest weaves in a splendid assortment of beautiful patterns; white, ivory and beige; yard.....**43c**

\$8 to \$12 Curtains

Irish Point and Swiss Point Lace Curtains; in a splendid assortment of patterns; pair.....**\$5.75**

\$6 Lace Curtains

Marquisette Curtains, with wide hemstitched and edgings of Cluny lace; ivory and Arabian colors; pair.....**\$2.65**

60c Cretonnes

Choice of many handsome patterns of splendid quality Cretonnes; light and dark colorings. Special at, yd., **37c**

\$6 to \$7.50 Curtains

In Irish Point and Marie Antoinette designs, applied on splendid quality netting; pair.....**\$3.95**

\$22.50 to \$25 Curtains

Swiss Point Curtains with gorgeous borders, mounted on superior quality Swiss netting; pair.....**\$14.75**

\$1.50 to \$2 Laces

Curtain Nets of superior quality, made by expert American manufacturers; shown in many colors; yard.....**95c**

\$15 to \$20 Lace Curtains

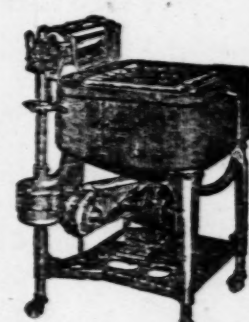
Imported Curtains of superior quality, in a choice of distinctive patterns; offered at, pair.....**\$9.35**

Fifth Floor

The Gift That Gives Cheer All Year "Maytag"

Aluminum Washers

Efficient and Easy to Operate
A gift that will be appreciated by all home-keepers, especially desirable for its simplicity, having only two levers, one for washing and one for wringing; all parts are strong, made of splendid materials and accessible; fitted with tub of seamless, heavy cast aluminum. See demonstration in Electrical Department, Basement Gallery.

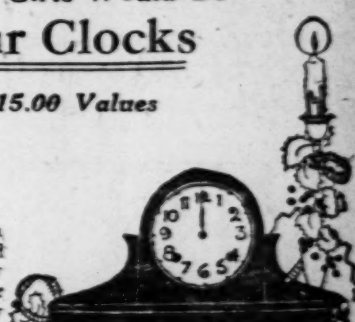


Splendid Gifts Would Be Tambour Clocks

\$12.00 to \$15.00 Values

\$10.45

Large Mantel Clocks in tambour style and finished in mahogany; with 8-day strike, Cathedral gong or beautiful Normandy chiming.



Only a Few Days Before Christmas Remain in Which to Select

Toys and Dolls

Offered Thursday in Specially Priced Groups



\$7.95 Mama Dolls
Can be made to walk and talk; dressed with cap to match and shoes and stockings.....**\$5.95**

Character Dolls

With bisque head, moving eyes with lashes and good wig.
\$1.50 values for **95c**
\$2.95 values for **\$1.95**
\$3.45 values for **\$2.19**
\$3.95 values for **\$2.45**

Jointed Dolls

Assorted sizes, with bisque head, moving eyes with lashes and good wig:
\$2.95 values for **\$1.95**
\$3.95 values for **\$2.69**
\$4.95 values for **\$3.45**
\$5.95 values for **\$4.25**
\$6.95 values for **\$4.95**



\$11.95 Coaster Wagons
Wood, with rubber tires and special wheels.....**\$9.75**

Embroidery Sets

Complete Sewing Outfits, packed in fancy boxes; priced—
25c values for **17c**
50c values for **35c**
75c values for **45c**

Basement Gallery

Editorial Page
Daily Call

PART TWO.

CLEMENCEAU'S
LAST SPEECH
HIS TOUR OF

"I Have Accomplished
mission; I Hope I Have
You Matter to
Over."

GETS APPLAUSE
NEW YORK D

"If You Think You
Something for France
Europe, It Is for
Judge."

By Leased Wire From the
Bureau of the Post-Dis-
NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—
Clemenceau made his final
the heart of America in
Americans caught their
glimpse of the Tiger of France
today.

His last speech in this col-
made at a dinner given by the
Franco-American Committee for Devasta-
at the Hotel Pennsylvania.
dience paralleled in the pro-
of those present that which
to his first plea in the Me-
Opera House less than a month
ago.

It was a hard audience to
When he arose, the shrewd
of France faced a room of
and white shirt bosoms. But
what "was the matter" the
tea thought France military
"Mission Accomplished."

"What the matter was,"
now," he said. "The mat-
ter that you were not well
The matter, was that you
know what was our condi-
tion was that you thought
was military and imperi-
alist. And the fact is that
as soon as you understood it
only one cry. 'Vive la France!'

"In a few hours I am go-
ing back, having accomplished
which I had not received,
that I give you matter
over, to ponder on. You
France, we are almost at
the greatest difficulties we
counted since the end of
We have been quarreling
with England, and this has
been avoided if America had
been there.

"We do not ask for any
do not ask for charity. I
for help. We want to do
ourselves. But if you think
are not quite at the end of
duty, then it is for you to
have no advice to give you."
"If you think that now
motion for liberation has
France and a part of Europe
wars for independence, I
think that you can do some-
thing as has been done for
friends. It is for you to judge
from France to the United
States, in addition to the
outside of the introductory
of Owen Wister, novelist.

Applauded by Dinner
Clemenceau arrived in the
hallroom at 8:55 p. m. after
diners had finished their
the galleries had been filled
other 200 persons.

He received vociferous
and as the orchestra swung
"Marsellaise" and "The
Benedictus." Clemenceau
erect and at salute. When
women, adorned with
pushed one another almost
said in order to obtain a
seat at him.

His address was another
made as he delivered in the
Franco-American House. He
was talking with an air
that had drifted away for
accountable reason. His
not brilliant. His argu-
ment new. They were sim-
ple to the heart. "Let us
stand one another and re-
old friendship," was the
of his speech.

The audience included
many well-known persons
present among them being J.
Morgan, who seldom atten-
dinner; Frank L. Polk, Mr.
E. M. House, Chauncey M.
De Mott, H. C. Wright, William D.
Mason, H. Kahn, George W.
Miss Anne Morgan, who
committee giving the dinner.
Comptroller, Francis L. Hine,
J. L. V. Hoppin.

Japanese Purchase Land
By the Associated Press.
SYDNEY, N. S. W., Dec.
Newspapers state that
during the last
change a tract of land
New South Wales coast in
official sanction of the
authorities.



Prices

to \$2 Laces

of superior qual-

ity, expert American

made; shown in

yard 95c

Lace Curtains

Curtains of superior

quality, choice of distinctive

designs at . . . \$9.35

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Editorial Page
Daily Cartoon

PART TWO.

CLEMENCEAU'S LAST SPEECH OF HIS TOUR OF U. S.

"I Have Accomplished Mis-
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You Matter to Think
Over."

GETS APPLAUSE AT
NEW YORK DINNER

"If You Think You Can Do
Something for France and
Europe, It Is for You to
Judge."

By Special Wire From the New York
Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Georges
Clemenceau made his final appeal to
the heart of America last night.
Americans caught their last real
glimpse of the Tiger of France yester-
day.

His last speech in this country was
made at a dinner given by the Amer-
ican Committee for Devastated France
at the Hotel Pennsylvania. The audi-
ence paralleled in the prominence
of those present that which listened
to his first plea in the Metropolitan
Opera House less than a month ago.
It was a hard audience to talk to.
When he arose, the shrewd old man
of France faced a room of forgetful
and white shirt bosoms. But he was
graced warmly affectionately.
Clemenceau's speech did not ex-
ceed five minutes in length. At only
one point was there any sustained
applause. That was after he spoke
of coming to this country to find out
what "was the matter" that Amer-
ica thought France militaristic.

"Mission Accomplished."
"What the matter was, I know it
now," he said. "The matter was
that you were not well informed.
The matter was that you did not
know what was our condition. The
matter was that you thought France
was militaristic and imperialistic,
when Germany was militaristic and
imperialistic. And the fact was that
as soon as you understood it, I heard
only one cry, 'Vive la France!'"

"In a few hours I am going to sail
back, having accomplished a mission
which I had not received, but hop-
ing that I give you matter to think
over, to ponder on. You see, in
France, we are almost at the end of
the greatest difficulties we have en-
countered since the end of the war.
We have been quarreling too often
with England, and this might have
been avoided if America had been
there."

"We do not ask for anything. I
do not ask for charity. I do not ask
for help. We want to do our duty
ourselves. But if you think that you
are not quite at the end of your
duty, then it is for you to judge. I
have no advice to give you."

"If you think that now this great
era of liberation has carried
France and a part of Europe through
war for independence, and if you
think that you can do something for
them as has been done for you, my
friends, it is for you to judge."

Only J. M. Juseur, Ambassador
from France to the United States,
spoke in addition to Clemenceau,
outside of the introductory remarks
of Owen Wister, novelist.

Applauded by Diners.
Clemenceau arrived in the grand
ballroom at 7:55 p. m. after the 1900
dinner had finished their meal and
the galleries had been filled by an-
other 200 persons.

He received vociferous applause.
His orchestra swung into the
"Marseillaise" and "The Star-Span-
gled Banner." Clemenceau stood
erect and at salute. White-haired
women, adorned with diamonds,
looked one another almost rudely
aside in order to obtain a good look
at him.

His address was another such mes-
sage as he delivered in the Metropol-
itan Opera House. He spoke as if
he were talking with an old friend
who had drifted away for some un-
accountable reason. His logic was
brilliant. His arguments were
new. They were simply an ap-
peal to the heart. "Let us under-
stand one another and return to our
old friendship" was the epitome of
his speech.

The audience included a great
many well-known persons, promi-
nent among them being J. Pierpont
Morgan, who seldom attends public
functions; Frank L. Polk, Mr. and Mrs.
R. M. House, Chauncey M. Depew,
Paul D. Cravath, William D. Guthrie,
Otto H. Kahn, George Wickenham,
Anne Morgan, chairman of the
committee giving the dinner; Samuel
Kempner, Francis L. Hine and Col.
L. V. Hoppin.

Japanese Purchase Land in Aus-
tralia.
SYDNEY, N. S. W., Dec. 13.—The
Evening News states that Japanese
delegates during the last year pur-
chased a tract of land along the
rainy coast line with the
official sanction of the Federal au-
thorities.

EDITORIAL

CLEMENCEAU'S ONLY FEAR IS "OF MEN WHO MIGHT WORK UP FOOLISH THINGS"

"After All, There Was Napoleon III," He Says
in Interview—"Reconciliation in
Europe Must Come."

By WALTER LIPPMAN,
Of the Editorial Staff of the New
York World.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—M. Clem-
enceau's words tumble over each
other faster than most stenographers
can write. He has floored batteries
of them on his trip. In private con-
versation his words come faster still
and with an insistence upon the hear-
er's attention that makes hopeless an
attempt to set them down. His talk
is not pieced together out of canned
speeches, and so he cannot speak im-
promptu, as so many celebrities do,
at any time, anywhere, into any
void. He won't talk unless you really
listen, and you must listen altogeth-
er or lose it all.

When you have heard it, your
troubles have only begun. He tells
you that you must write "smoothly."
You protest that the more he allows
you to print of what he has just said,
the more reassured people will be
about his trip.

"Ah, yes, my friend," he replies,
"but I am no longer worrying about
the American people. I am going
back to France, and there the drama
is still being played. Things are
very delicate. There is much I can
say later, but not now. I tell the
truth. But go make it smooth."

So what is written here is
smoothed out and a few epithets that
would stick as noisily to certain not-
ables for the rest of their lives as a
cat to a dog's tail, I am sorry for
these omissions, but M. Clemenceau
is still a public character in the po-
litical life of his own country, and it
was for him to decide that he should
not be quoted as having described
some French statesmen in very
rough terms.

Game He Stalks Is in Europe.
But at least this much emerges.
This ancient man is not a tame Tiger.
If he has talked as he says, "smooth-
ly," in America, it is not because he
has lost his bite, but because he is
stalking his game on velvet paws be-
cause he makes another leap.

The game he is stalking is not in
America. That he would like us to
be lenient in the matter of French
debts without saying that he would
like us to join in a guarantee of
French security is certain; but in
literal truth, there are not the ob-
jects of his concern as he leaves
this shore.

He has not lived 81 stormy years
only to delude himself about the
value of speeches and cheering
crowds. He surveys too much hu-
man experience to rest his hope on
phrases. He knows too well that the
larger attitudes of nations are de-
termined by their necessities and his
trip had convinced him beyond the
use of further argument that Amer-
ican needs will force America out of
artificial isolation.

He was just sure of that before
he came. He is sure of it now, and
so you cannot interest him in a dis-
cussion of any specific American
program. That will work itself out
for America's return to Europe has
for him the quality of the inevitable.
The German professors, he would
here, but because of what he learned
here. And so, with that settled, his
mind is already in Europe.

The game he is stalking in Europe
is not the continuation of the feud
with Germany. Except against the
23 German professors, he would not
wave a bloody shirt. "Reconcilia-
tion," he said, "must come. It must.
I tell you. People are not going to
hate each other forever. Germany
and France can't fight every 50
years."

Afraid of Men, Not Riches.
I asked him whether he shared the
feelings so frequently expressed, that
if Germany was strong enough to
pay France, then Germany would
also be strong enough to menace
France. "Certainly not," he cried
out, as if I had quoted a lunatic.
"Let Germany be as rich as she
likes. You can't stop that. I'm not
afraid of that."

"What, then, are you afraid of?"
"Of the excitations that unexpect-
ed incidents might produce. . . .
Of being afraid that we are not se-
cure. . . . Of men (not the
French, people), and here I am
compelled to smooth a bit, 'who
might work up foolish things. After
all, there was Napoleon III. If only
we felt secure, it would be different."

He didn't believe much in the prac-
tical result of "so-called strategic
conferences." They might not always
be depended upon for great strategical
results. He had asked for the
Rhine, but could not consider it as
a decisive point in consideration of
France, especially "if the preparations
were insufficient, as has twice been
the case in France during the last 50
years."

"During the war," he went on to
say, "the Empress Eugenie let me
know that she had an unpublished
letter from Kaiser Wilhelm I on the
question of Alsace-Lorraine and that
she was ready to give it to the
French archives. In 1871, she had
asked the Kaiser not to take Alsace-
Lorraine, and in a very courteous let-
ter he answered that he must take
it because it was the opinion of his
military advisers that Alsace-Lor-
raine was a necessary glacis for the
defense of Germany. Well, they had

their glaci, and the result of the war
is that we have got their glaci."

Wants No More Alsace-Lorraine.
As for wanting Alsace-Lorraine—that,
he said, would be "the worst thing
France to have inside her frontiers
protesting populations." There
was no equivocation about this. "You
think I am so foolish that I want an
other Alsace-Lorraine reversed?"

"But do you want an Anglo-Ameri-
can guarantee?"

"I do not ask it. We can make our
own guarantees if necessary. But
soldiers are not sufficient to make
peace."

"And with the German democracy
is not sufficient, on what, in the
long run, are you counting?"

"On the democratic nations, in-
cluding the German democracy,
which is not yet established."

"How can it be established, with
the French army camped in the ves-
tibule?"

"We shall not be there so very
long, as far as I can judge. If Ger-
many really shows she is willing to
come to terms."

"And with the German democracy
you would be friends?"

"I have said so. . . . I, the
man they think is their worst enemy.
But I am not. . . . I made war.
Now I make peace. Why does not one
German democrat answer me?"

I asked him if he wished to have
that printed. "Yes, print it," he re-
plied.

"But how will you collect repa-
rations?"

"Germany Would Pay."

"If payment does not come from
the good will of Germany, then we
must wait and be on our safeguard.
But, my friend, I tell you I am not
in power. I will not embarrass any-
one. The German reparations would be
dangerous," and here again the in-
terview has been smoothed.

"But I tell you," he went on, "if
England and France agree—I do not
speak of America—Germany would
pay a reasonable sum. The German
reparations would be dangerous."
I asked him if he wished to have
that printed. "Yes, print it," he re-
plied.

"And you don't want the Ruhr?"

"I fear the Ruhr. The German
workmen would make Nationalist
strikes. I shall we send in French
soldiers against them."

"Not even the German people?"

"Not even the German people?"

"But how can we take their sig-
nature when they have violated it in
Belgium?"

"You yourself, M. Clemenceau,
would not take the signature of Na-
poleon III, who put you in prison.
You would not hold what Napoleon
did against the French republic."

"Yes, but those '93 professors,
they were not the Government.
They were Germany's best. Have
they repented? Don't ask me to be-
lieve too much—for a little while,
anyway."

The interview seemed to be over.

"Be Nice and Smooth."

"Have I answered your ques-
tions?" he asked.

"You have," I replied, "if you let
me print most of the answers."

"Fairly smooth, not too smooth."

"Nice and smooth," purred the
Tiger.

"I am happy. I am writing a
book for the next years on my mem-
oirs. It is very complicated."

"Metaphysics?"

"Oh, non. . . . It is life. It in-
terests me very much, maybe more
than it would readers. I put little
anecdotes in it. It will take me 30
years a volume. . . . Three vol-
umes, 90 years. It makes me happy
to write it in my house by the sea.
. . . You know, I have three land-
lords there. I do not own the house.
The beach I rent from a Govern-
ment. The house I rent from a Gov-
ernment man who charges me 150
francs a year and gives me the money
to the poorest man in the parish.
The dunes I rent from the Countess
at France a year, rent in advance.
The Countess had ancestors who
were the Kings of Ireland. If it
ever pleases her, I shall marry the
Countess, and then I am King of
Ireland. I shall build boats to at-
tack the English."

Caliph Receives Charles R. Crane.
By the Associated Press.
CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 13.—
Charles R. Crane, former United
States Minister to China, was re-
ceived in audience by the Caliph yester-
day. Abdul Medjid said that Tur-
key looked instinctively to the United
States for friendly guidance and
commercial support, and asserted
that America's participation in the
Lausanne conference was a good
augury for peace. Crane departs for
Cairo today.

ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH

ST. LOUIS, WEDNESDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 13, 1922.

POINCARÉ SAYS FRANCE'S READY TO ACT "EVEN ALONE"

Premier Declares Steps to Be
Taken Against Germany
Won't Be "Cried From the
Households."

"WON'T INVOLVE
CALLING NEW TROOPS"

Nothing Can Be Done Until
After Jan. 15—Matter to
Be Discussed in Parlia-
ment Friday.

By the Associated Press.
PARIS, Dec. 13.—Premier Poincaré
at the resumption of the parlia-
mentary debate on the French
foreign policy, will announce that
the Government retains the right
to use a free hand in settling security
for the German debt. However,
he will not specify what this security
will be, nor will he give a detailed
account of his plans.

The Premier asserted last night
he would speak either spontaneously
or in reply to interpellations on "the
French postposition of the occupa-
tion of the Ruhr," of which Leon
Daudet and others have given notice.
"I never said I thought of occupy-
ing the Ruhr," he said, "but I thought
of taking such security."
He added, however, that he would
know exactly which we would
choose. If we did we should be very
careful not to cry it from the house-
tops.

"Resolved to Act, Even Alone."

"This, however, is certain: what-
ever action we decide on will not in-
volve the calling up of a single man.
What is no less certain is that the
time of threats without acts has
passed. We have fully resolved to
act, even alone, and even if before
Jan. 15 the Reparations Commission
pronounces in favor of a fresh mor-
atorium for Germany."

"In any case we cannot take any
step until the 15th. That is why I
am not speaking of occupation. We
are waiting for the 15th. We are wait-
ing for the 15th. We are waiting for
the 15th. We are waiting for the 15th."

"The French Cabinet this morning
approved the attitude taken on the
reparations question by Premier
Poincaré at the recent London confer-
ence of Premiers, after hearing
Poincaré's report of the meeting. It
also expressed agreement with him
regarding the declarations to be
made in the Chamber of Deputies on
Friday, when it is expected the Gov-
ernment will be called upon to reply
to an interpellation."

Premier Poincaré, it is forecast,
will ask the chamber for a free hand
in the reparations negotiations with
the allies and for like freedom re-
garding the seizure of such pledges
as are permitted under the treaty of
Versailles if a settlement is not
reached by negotiation before the
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is due on Jan. 15.

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I know that my retirement will make no difference in its cardinal principles, that it will always fight for progress and reform, never tolerate injustice or corruption, always fight demagogues of all parties, never belong to any party, always oppose privileged classes and public plunderers, never lack sympathy with the poor, always remain devoted to the public welfare, never be satisfied with merely printing news, always be directly independent, never be afraid to attack wrong, whether by predatory photography or predatory poverty.

JOSEPH PULTZER.
April 10, 1907.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

Will the young woman who on Dec. 7 sent a letter to Margaret Martin of the Post-Dispatch, please send her address to Miss Martin so that she may be communicated with directly?

—Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

JUST a word of appreciation for your timely and kindly editorial, "Our Duty to Ireland," which, in my humble opinion, appeared to be impregnated with good advice and permeated with common sense, coming from an unbiased, fair and fearless friend of "Sweet Erin" in the many years gone by. In your editorial, which, conservatively, appealing editorials in favor of Irish freedom, Chauncey Dewey some years ago stated: "Ireland in proportion to its size has undoubtedly produced the greatest number of leaders in the world's history, and, being overstocked, naturally some of them become extremists." And thusly today we have Carson, the "die-hard," in the North, and De Valera, the "bitter-enders," in the South, both appealing to passion and prejudice, endeavoring to bolster up their lost causes by false hope and appeals to their deluded followers.

England has offered her hand in good faith, and Ireland has accepted it in the same spirit and the great body of American citizens of Irish extraction and those in sympathy with Ireland and the world over will not doubt heartily approve of it. Let the "one per cent" dissenters and disturbers quit agitation and bushwhacking and go back to work rather than have Carson and De Valera lead them like sheep to the shambles. Then Griffith and Collins have not died in vain, and Ireland will be a nation once again. John Boyle O'Reilly prophesied: "England is doing with a generosity, proud and warm-hearted race. We know the Irish people. We gauge their hatred and measure their hope and we profoundly believe that the hour is not yet too late for England to disarm and conquer them by the generosity of her spirit, as she has never been able to subdue them by the force of her armies." "The hearts we bring for freedom are washed in the surge of tears, and we claim our right by a people's light outliving a thousand years."

THOS. J. CURRAN.

Christianity and the Klan.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

FOR some time I have been reading about people who call themselves Christians belonging to the Ku Klux Klan—Christian ministers preaching Ku Kluxism from the pulpits—one minister claiming 75 per cent of the Masons belonging to the Klan.

I am a Christian and a Mason who does not belong to the Klan because the teachings of Christ and Masonry are contrary to the teachings of the Ku Klux Klan. Christ teaches "Love thy fellow man." Masonry teaches us to spread the cement of brotherly love and affection; to be on the square with all mankind. The Ku Klux Klan discriminates against their fellow men. Christ was a Jew and never repudiated it. The Catholic religion was the first form of organized Christianity.

If the Ku Klux Klan believe they should punish the sinful ones, then let them live up to the teachings of Him whom they profess to be following by letting those among them who are without sin cast the first stone.

HERMAN H.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

CHRISTMAS DAY, 1921, was the first time in over 20 years that the majority of the 1800 employees in the St. Louis Postoffice had the opportunity of enjoying their Christmas dinner with their families and friends. Christmas, 1922, is fast approaching, and from now on the entire force of postal workers will be making every effort to deliver the mails to the patrons of the service, and that means almost every man, woman and child in the city and county. Owing to the vast increase in the use of the parcel post and the sending of small gifts and greetings during the yuletide season, the 1800 employees are now wondering if they can enjoy their Christmas dinner at home this year. We believe we can if the public will realize the great advantage of early mailing. The old familiar sight of the heavily loaded letter carrier delivering belated gifts and greetings when everyone should be enjoying the greatest holiday in the history of man would never again be seen.

Early mailing means more! It would mean that parcels would be delivered in better condition, thousands of incorrectly addressed gifts and greetings could be delivered to proper addresses and that on Christmas morning everyone would have and enjoy those gifts which they have been anticipating. It would mean, also, that your friend, the letter carrier, who serves you so faithfully in season and out of season and brings you tidings from friends near and far would also be able to partake of the yuletide spirit and enjoy his Christmas dinner with his family and friends. In other words, "mail early" means satisfactory service.

ST. LOUIS POSTOFFICE WELFARE COUNCIL.

CASP. HAMMER, Chairman.

THE REPARATIONS TANGLE.

The statement was made in a letter in "Letters from the People" Tuesday that Germany to date had paid 41,000,000 gold marks on the reparations account. That is the amount which Germany claims to have paid, but the allies do not allow the claim; they fix the amount paid at 10,000,000 gold marks. Which, if either, is right, we do not pretend to say, but in view of such huge discrepancy it is a fair presumption that neither is right. Impartial accountants should be put on the job to get the real figures.

The problem of reparations is a world problem. Conference after conference has grappled with it and failed. The United States must join with the European nations in finding a solution. The news from London, following the adjournment of the Preliminary meeting, represents England as conditionally willing to charge off some of the indebtedness due her, though Bonar Law makes it plain that England is not ready to agree to terms of settlement which would leave her as "the only one of the allied countries paying an indemnity." England's concessions, it seems, depend upon the American attitude. Accordingly, the United States, it is rumored, will be soundly out as to her willingness to cancel the French debt.

It is well that such reports are labeled rumors which may be dismissed promptly if unfavorably received. Yet sooner or later those rumors must assume the form of official overtures. Whether the settlement is worked out in terms of proportionate cancellation or on some other basis it is evident that compromise and concession must enter largely into the adjustment.

It is imperative, however, that the reparations account to date be correctly audited. Both Germany and her creditors must get down to facts before they can warrantably ask or expect American assistance.

GOVERNOR AND LEGISLATURE.

Politicians and the public are wondering what will happen when a Democratic Legislature and a Republican Governor come together with partisan wounds of the session of 1921 still comparatively fresh. Will the Governor undertake to nullify any achievement on the part of the Legislature? Will the Legislature, on the other hand, bedevil the executive and undertake to pass measures of reprisal?

The statement of the Governor to Curtis A. Betts, the Post-Dispatch correspondent, is reassuring. Gov. Hyde promises he will sign "every measure which is for the public good, no matter who may be its author." Further than that the Governor declares his desire to consult with the Democrats of both houses and be guided "as far as it is possible" by their advice in matters of legislation.

All the Governor need do is stand by this platform and he will be fortified against attack. A similar attitude, of course, is to be required of the Legislature. It will be more difficult, however, for the public to keep a check on the law-making body, as its responsibility, unlike that of the Governor, who is under the eyes and subject to the votes of the entire state, is so minutely divided and geographically distributed.

Whereas the bipartisan situation in the State Capitol might become a deadlock with consequent paralysis of the government of the state there is nothing in the alignment of the parties to prevent ideal accomplishment. A checkmate on party power ought to have a chastening effect on the efforts of both the legislative and executive branches. If the Legislature is not disposed to take this view of its opportunity there is only one force that can cause it to do so. This is the vigilance of the people over their respective Representatives and Senators.

However little the League of Nations may have done, it has made the other peace-making efforts of Europe look like 30 cents.

JAPAN KEEPS ITS WORD.

The world at last has seen the territory of Kwantung in the Shantung Peninsula, returned both in name and in fact to China. This is an act of restitution which the cynics of diplomacy have declared and actually believed to be impossible. The statement of the Versailles treaty in behalf of the Japanese delegation to the effect that "the policy of Japan consists in handing back the Shantung Peninsula in full sovereignty to China" was taken generally by the critics of the treaty to be a bit of diplomatic casuistry. And Senator Lodge wept copious rhetorical tears over a wrong which seemed to be nearer his heart than the vast benefit to be realized from a concert of nations for the peace of the world.

The actual transfer of the present, therefore, is a

A LITTLE PROFESSIONAL ADVICE.

(From the New Orleans Times-Picayune.)



vindication of the declared purpose of the treaty. More pleasing still, it is a vindication of the plighted word of Japan. To the Washington conference must be given the credit for facilitating the transfer, which, however, did not take place under a conference treaty but under a compact signed at Washington between China and Japan. The pathetic impotence of the Chinese Government, which was obliged to buy off a gang of bandits in order to avoid an appearance of being unable to administer its restored charge, is a further tribute to the gallantry of Japan in lifting the strong arm of conquest without coercion.

EXTRANEUS FEDERAL ACTIVITIES.

In submitting to Congress the budget for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1924, President Harding's discussion of economy contained this significant statement:

There is, however, another field of Government operation—a rapidly broadening field of Government expenditure—which may be discussed with profit to us all. I refer to expenditures which are being made from appropriations for Federal aid in lines of research, improvement and development, which, while having no direct connection with the operations of the business of Government, have grown to become a recognized part of its activities. It is not easy, therefore, to divorce from our minds the fact that considerable of the money appropriated for the Government are spent for those things which do not pertain to the normal functions or operations of the business of Government. There is a question as to how far the Government should participate in these extraneous activities, and I am frank to say that an answer to the question as to whether we can look forward to any further material reduction of the expenditures of the Government in future years depends upon whether or not there will be a curbing or expansion of these activities, which have already added greatly to the annual drafts upon the Treasury of the United States.

The President went on further to say that the attitude of the United States of being willing to match sums of the states in a variety of enterprises naturally inclined the states to contribute their share, thus leading to increasing indebtedness on the part of states, counties and cities.

The evil which the President here mildly adverted to is presented as a mere matter of extravagance or economy, when the real view of it lies in its tendency more and more to project the Federal power into the local concerns of the states and to consolidate this country into a vast bureaucratic empire directed from Washington. As if Federal aid for road building there is express warrant in the Federal Constitution; it is not, therefore, "extraneous." But in such ventures as the care of maternity and infant welfare, sanitation, education, these are wholly outside the Federal province and are distinctly "extraneous."

It is to be regretted that the President did not rest his warning upon the obvious ground that all of these extraneous activities tend to destroy our dual form of government and hasten a consolidation that could only end in despotism.

Following the landslide of 1920 Gov. Hyde and the Republican Legislature forgot all about the election of 1922. Is the Democratic Legislature going to forget all about the election of 1924?

CHALLENGING THE SALARIED MAN.

The wage scale of union plasterers in St. Louis has been raised to take effect Jan. 1, from \$1.37 1/2 to \$1.50 an hour. At eight hours a day and six days a week this means a weekly wage of \$72. This reward will be open to any union plasterer who can work, regardless of his grammar, the diploma he has not or other disqualifications of education or refinement.

A spokesman for the contractors justifies the new wage rate by the fact of a shortage of plasterers to meet the demand and the failure of the trade to attract young men for apprenticeship. As is the demand for service so shall be the reward. This is a rule which should work out in labor as well as in business.

What is to be the result? The tendency to skilled labor scarcity is universal. There is no reason to suppose that the upward trend will be confined to plasterers' wages alone. This means that, in the end, the rent of the white-collar man, whose salary is even now much less than the wage of the plasterer, will be further raised, living will become impossible and, if his salary is not raised, he will become a plasterer or other skilled manual worker.

A Washington University professor in a public speech complains of the burden placed upon the colleges by students who matriculate for economic and other material reasons. The plasterers' wage is the answer. There must be a point at which mechanics' wages will overcome the anemic lure of the white collar.

If the railroads, as we are told, really wish to attract customers by entertainment on trains, we would urge the entertainment qualifications of a reduction in Pullman rates.



"THE RHINE AND MISSISSIPPI ARE NOT SO FAR APART AS THEY USED TO BE."

JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH
By Clark McDanna

WINTER DAYS.

THE larks are gone, the purple flowers are dead. And winds are bitter chill—The meadow-brown that once so green was spread. Against the summer hill, The pine tree sighs and from their purple height, Cold stars look down. And like a broken trunk, through the night, The moon is blown.

But oh, what care we how the cold wind yearns, Or scudding clouds fly low, For at our feet our cheery hearth-fire burns, Wrapping us in its glow. Snug in our cabin we have naught to fear, Though deep the snowdrift lies—But best of all is you beside me, dear, To warm me with your eyes.

Saratoga, Tex. CAROLYN M. LEWIS.

When we dead awake in the Mississippi Valley there is going to be no end of new along the river. For instance, the following from the Cape Missourian, at Cape Girardeau: "Carutherville has the only compress in Missouri. It is owned by a local stock company and cotton is placed in it by brokers. The ordinary bales are shipped to the compress, the iron bands are taken off and the bale is squeezed into one-third its bulk. Thus three times as many bales can be shipped in a car.

"The compress is also used for storage purposes. It is bonded and managed under the regulations of Government warehouses. Brokers can borrow nearly the market value of the cotton when it is in a compress and can hold it as long as they wish.

"The compress has handled 25,000 bales this season, having shipped 2000 bales by barge and having 20,000 bales on hand. "Cars have been so scarce that the Government barge line was appealed to. The first barge was shipped this week to New Orleans with 1000 bales. Some was for export and some was consigned to manufacturers in the New England states. A second barge is now being loaded.

"A barge is also to be used for cotton seed to New Orleans and the Biltman Egg Case Co. was loading a barge with boxes for shipment to East St. Louis. From that point the boxes will be shipped to different concerns by freight. "The Federal barge line company didn't like the idea of giving service to a town without a river terminal, but the demand was so imperative that an exception was made. Carutherville hopes to have a modern terminal by next fall, it is said."

Reports that the building trades are going to put another story on wages will make a lot of people wonder where they can catch the elevator.

It would not be like Mr. Wilson to remind his critics that the Japanese actually did restore Shantung to China, we will do it.

A Polite Intimidation.

At one time we owned a black-cocker spaniel, that used to sleep on a gray blanket in the colored girl's room. We usually kept fairly late hours and my wife would go into the kitchen, followed by the dog, get the blanket, take it upstairs and put him to bed.

One night we had a bridge party and were very late. During a period of silence we heard a curious sound in the passage like something being dragged across a smooth floor. Everyone turned and faced the door, and as they did so the dog appeared stern first, dragging his blanket by one of its corners. Our friends saw the humor of the situation and the party broke up. DAWSON-WATSON.

Ben Hecht tells us in "1901 Chicago Afternoons" how the fog envelops the city: "The fog tips into the streets. It walks like a great cat through the air and slowly devours the city. The office buildings vanish, leaving behind thin pencil lines and smoke blurs. The pavements become isolated, low-roofed corridors. Overhead the electric signs whisper enigmatically and the window lights dissolve. The fog thickens till the city disappears. High up where the mists thin into a dark, sulphurous glow roof bubbles float. The great cat's work is done. It stands balancing itself on the heads of people and arches his back against the vanished buildings."

An English dandy in fancy waistcoat and pearl spats fell out of a sixth-story window in a London street.

He was sitting up when passersby reached him.

"I say, are you hurt?" someone asked. "Hurt—no!" exclaimed the dandy, "but who in hell was it said fairies could fly?"

A pair of Chicago naturalists who walked from Chicago to Edwardsville saw so many summer birds that they concluded we are not to have any very cold weather this winter. They will know more about it when they get home.

Lamar (Mo.) Democrat: One of Tony Bucher's favorite indoor sports is to grab hold of a girl he's more or less enamored of for a wrestle. It's old stuff, but Tony doesn't know it.

The other evening Tony went over to the neighbors where the school ma'am boarded. He began to jolly the teacher, and pretty soon he pulled his wrestling stunt. The school ma'am may have been used to the hug stuff, and she may not, but she reached over the center table where there was a tack hammer real handy, and swung it on Mr. Bucher's head. He saw a sheet of flame about three feet wide, and he got a nasty scalp wound some two inches long. Everybody in the district has had a lot of fun ever since asking Tony what was the matter with his head.

HS: Another sign, observed over a somewhat tumbled-down shop:

Stoves
Prices Range from \$15 to \$105

It would have said the same thing without the "range" in it, but he was thinking of range.

A WOUNDED CZECH LEGIONNAIRE SPEAKS.

I've fought enough—
(See my blood-stained face)
I've starved—
(See my bones)
All in my power I've done.
The duty, born from my and fathers' visions!
Which gave the strength to me,
Which led my hand,
Which were behind me,
Which were before me,
There, where the shells were bursting—See! There!

—Art Thou happy, now, Homeland?

O Lord, I've killed Thy children,
But to save my nation only!
And, I'm tired, tired, tired, O mother!
No! No! I can't rest, mother.

—My little son, your father knows too much.
O Lesson,
"Love your brothers living on Earth with you!"
—Art Thou happy, now, Homeland?
I wanted you to be, when I was—there.
Don't touch my head!
The bandage is my crown of olive.
—Fedor Engelmueller in Czechoslovak Review.

The MIRROR of PUBLIC OPINION

This column is designed to reproduce within the latest comment by the leading publicists, newspapers and periodicals on the questions of the day.

AMERICAN POLITICS.

From the Cincinnati Enquirer.

D R. FELLIX ADLER, famous senior leader of the Society for Ethical Culture, discovers a reason for discouragement or dismay in connection with the complex peculiarities of the present status of parties and the political situation generally. There is encouragement and inspiration to be derived from his conclusions with reference to the late election and his analysis of our political processes. Our system is faulty, he believes that the people too often vote upon short-cut methods which do not work. As for the so-called issues in the recent contest, they were, for the most part, "trumped up." We are, according to this authority, just now in the throes of a critical mood about ourselves. But the American people are groping towards some new issues in politics, and when the demand shall have become urgent enough the genius that has made Americans eminent in science, practical arts and business organization will be turned to the direction of Government and transcendence of narrow party lines. Speed the day! This is the goal toward which the eyes of the thoughtful and patriotic citizen are turning. Politics has become a clog on the wheels of progress. The mutations evolved by our recurring elections momentarily in the place of power and at the same time release the statesmen of shifting character and ability to the comparative obscurity of private life. General apathy and the lack of vital issues, according to Dr. Adler, are present unhealthy symptoms of an unreliable system. False issues, office seeking, demagoguing warfare between groups, fly-by-night programs of reformation—chiefly compulsory—with reference to the character and habits of the individual, demand a general awakening to a realization of the ideals of democracy. This awakening is essential to the rescue of the country from destructive political decadence. With Dr. Adler we still believe the stars in their courses are fighting for America, but we firmly are convinced that the stars need assistance, that it is essential to victory that the American people emulate and assist the heavenly spheres in the ceaseless battle for the preservation and perpetuity of national ideals and institutions.

THE VOLSTEAD ACT.

From the New York World.

U NUSUAL concern over the prevalent delinquency of the Volstead act has manifested itself in late administration circles. The Cabinet has given over an entire session to discussing ways and means of re-enforcing the enforcement law. The President himself has been stirred by reports of flagrant violations at the Army-Navy football game and may institute an inquiry into the indifference of the Philadelphia authorities in the matter. Senator David Reed has indicated the people and the Government for hypocrisy in their attitude toward the Eighteenth amendment. Nothing has been said so far, however, about the fallacy of the amendment and the law enacted under it, or about the impossibility of enforcing a statute which a majority deem to be unenforceable. It is quite true, as the administration statesmen begin to discover, that the moralists and the public respect for all law are being undermined by a widespread disregard of this one "sumptuary statute." But the difficulty is not with the officials or the public. It is with the law itself. So long as the Volstead act remains as it is, it is regarded for at least one article in the Federal code will be at natural for people as breathing, and the corruption of a large percentage of public servants follow as inevitably as night after day.

The Conning Tower

Of a River.
Little shops along the flats
Once made combs and hats
And from the river went a race
And turned the mill-wheel of place.
In ruin lingers the
Wheels are rotted past
And shops for hats and shoes
Found today in other homes.

Still will rude, leaky boats
Carriers by the river-side,
And rustic anglers come to try
The pools where bass are thronged.

Here still the bather's high
Rings from the shallows; and I
Too
The wanderer still loves to stray
And happy groups make holiday.

Thus cease awhile their fiftal
And the river lapses along,
And hills lean downward from
The sky
To watch the river gleaming
In the sun.

Of hats and combs and such
Went this world has, and to
Others have other use, one feels
Man being put to turning what
G. S.

An Excellent Thing in Women
I haven't anything to say,
At interviews, "but I'll tell
Judge when I go on the stage."

Speaking of combs, the
Hall's book catalogue lists "Hus-
sary, Finn."

There is likely to be a lot
of it, a law, discussed by
House, to limit the number
of cars in New York is
likely to come under, as
Lindberg says, the head of
the man we know has had
trouble with his chariot that
yone calls it a pleasure car,
like a little child.

The Luring Advertisements
the nearest ad that meets my
"Watkins' Multifid Shampoos"
When hungry there's the very
of cysters on the Lower Level
KITTY

Wouldst love me, girl of
dream,
I used Uno's Shaving Cream
A generous contrib is Mr. M.
of Scranton, who
all the rights to refer to the
the Estelle Winwood, when
comes to town in the incarna-
and Poppy," as The Starling
mour.

ELIS PREXY
GETS BOOST
New York Cable to the Paris
New York Herald
M. Clemenceau went to
at the rooms of James Ang
captain of the Yale team.

The Mating Season.
I'm going to marry the man
and every time some one says
"shut up!" he does not add
"dean." EDITH GWYN
I married her because, aft-
erward, she was in Europe
and at no time was she
OT say "You could not get
week for that at Macy's."

BILL BONHEIL
I worship Dolores, but she
and she was in Europe
summer, but at no time was she
only Woman in the Restaurant
and Not Smoking. ER

In the Jewish Tribune Mr. M.
Israel takes us with generous
and speaks of our Charles L.
the quality; and in "Our Am-
ericanists" Mr. Thomas L. M.
says "his taste is sometimes at
tend he prints paragraphs
fully that hurt exceedingly."
Israel is wrong and Mr. Mas-
sight.

Doubt concerning the make of
Kremer automobile is dispelled
by F. F. Fitzer, who says
Kremer is a
Probably there was more to
Kremer in the part of the
idea less than in the two
most of the rest of us. F. F.
the Kremer.

KING OF MELODRAMATISTS
Theodore Kremer in Serious
tion in Dresden, Germany
the Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—The
Kremer, author of more than
adramas and widely known
King of the Melodramatists,
living in Dresden, Germany,
going to a calligram receive
New York theatrical producers
news of his illness was not
The "Fatal Wedding" is com-
ing to have Kremer's biggest
role. Other plays from his pen
The Queen of the Highbush
Kremer, the Sewing Machine
and "Rachel Goldstein."

Steamship Movements
The Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Pro-
Buren, Queens-
London, Dec. 11.—City of
New Orleans.

Arrived.
CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—
New Orleans.
NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Spartan-
New Orleans.
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Man Burned to Death in Trolley

By the Associated Press.
BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 12.—Fire starting in the Cold Springs repair shop of the International Railway Co. today destroyed 32 trolley cars and four dwelling houses adjoining the shop. The loss was estimated at \$250,000.

Woman Seeks Sister After 27 Years

Mrs. Ida Flosscher, 1011 Geyer avenue, has asked Mayor Thompson of Chicago to assist in locating her sister, who left Pekin, Ill., 27 years ago and has not been heard from since.

Poison Found in Bodies

of Twin Children
Chicago Women.

Another Link Added to Chain of Deaths Attributed to Two Chicago Women

By the Associated Press.
CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—A poison has been found in large quantities in the bodies of twin children of Mrs. Nellie Sturmer Koulik, Coroner's Chemist McNally announced yesterday.

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Judge at Bellefonte Tolls Two Negroes Convicted of the Murder of a White Man. He Considers Penalty Just.

Leroy Hollins and Ernest Williams, negroes, who were convicted of the murder of Alphonse De Hen of East St. Louis, a candy salesman, on the Cahokia road, Oct. 29, by a jury in the Circuit Court at Bellefonte last week, were sentenced today by Judge Crow to be hanged Feb. 21, 1935.

Overruling a motion for a new trial, Judge Crow told the prisoners that the verdict was just, and he announced that he would overrule any motion for an arrest of judgment. Counsel for the negroes said they doubted that they would appeal the case.

Sheriff Martin Schnipper of St. Clair County, who will hang the men, if an appeal does not suspend the sentence, said that the double hanging will not be a "public circus." It will be recalled that the last hangings in St. Clair County were two in 1910 and that hundreds of tickets of admission were issued on each occasion.

SALVATION ARMY CHRISTMAS

POT IS STOLEN FROM WORKER

Man Tending Tripod at Seventh and Locust Had Walked Short Distance to Exercise for Warmth.

Jacko Rupp, a Salvation Army worker, did his best to "keep the pot boiling" at the southeast corner of Seventh and Locust streets at home-going time last evening. He stood near the iron pot, suspended from a tripod, in which for the Salvation Army's Christmas charities are received, and rang his bell to attract contributors. Nickels and dimes dropped into the pot as the crowd passed.

Shortly after 3 o'clock, when the temperature at 15 degrees, Rupp found that he had to exercise, and he walked a few paces east, then back to his post, and repeated the patrol. For a moment he turned his back and when he returned to the corner the pot was gone. Salvation Army officers believe, from the receipts on other corners in recent days, that it contained about \$10.

1000 BIRDS IN POULTRY SHOW

State Exhibit at Fayette to Continue Until Dec. 16.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
FAYETTE, Mo., Dec. 12.—One thousand birds are here on route to the Missouri State Poultry Show which opened yesterday. Buff Orpingtons constitute the largest class entered, while the Rhode Island Reds are particularly good. Breeders from six of the Middle and Southwestern States have entries. The largest number of birds was entered by J. W. Taylor of McCune, Kan., who is exhibiting Rhode Island Reds.

The meeting, which will continue until Dec. 16, with lectures and demonstrations by poultry raisers. There will be an address by Jewell Myers, Secretary of the State Board of Agriculture, by radio from Jefferson City. The birds entered are of an exceptionally good quality, officials state.

HYDE DISCUSSES WATERWAYS

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Gov. Hyde of Missouri is here en route to White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., to attend a conference of Governors, said today that he was spending a portion of his time in getting information about inland waterways with a view to doing what he could to further their development.

He talked yesterday with Major-General Lansing H. Beach, Chief of the Corps of Army Engineers, and Col. T. Q. Ashburn, Chief of the Inland and Coastwise Waterways Service of the Army.

Woman Shot by Husband Seeks Divorce

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

RICH HILL, Mo., Dec. 12.—Another chapter in the Kuehling case will be written at the January term of the Vernon County Circuit Court at Nevada. Mrs. Roy H. Kuehling seeks a divorce from her husband, now serving a five-year sentence in the State penitentiary for shooting her recently at the home of her parents, near Eldorado Springs. At the time of the shooting it was believed the wounds might prove fatal. After Kuehling was sentenced he escaped when being taken to prison, but was captured in St. Louis the next day.

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New York Delegates Were the Last to Sign.

By **HENDRIK VAN LOON**,
Author of "The Story of Mankind."

BEFORE any military decision had been reached, a great triumph had been gained by those more advanced spirits among the rebellious Colonists who had the courage of their convictions and demanded a complete separation from the old mother country. On the seventh of the month of June of the year 1776, Richard Lee of Virginia introduced in Congress three important resolutions. The first one declared that the 13 colonies were and ought to be free and independent; the second, that foreign alliances should be made; and the third, that some form of government for the colonies should be drawn up.

The first of these three resolutions was acted upon immediately. A committee was appointed to draw up a declaration of independence, but most of the work was done by Thomas Jefferson. It was soon finished, and, on July the 4th of the year 1776, it was adopted by the delegates from the 13 colonies. It was August, however, before all the delegates had signed their names, and among the latest to sign were the delegates from New York, who had refused to vote on July 2nd, when everybody else had declared in favor of independence.

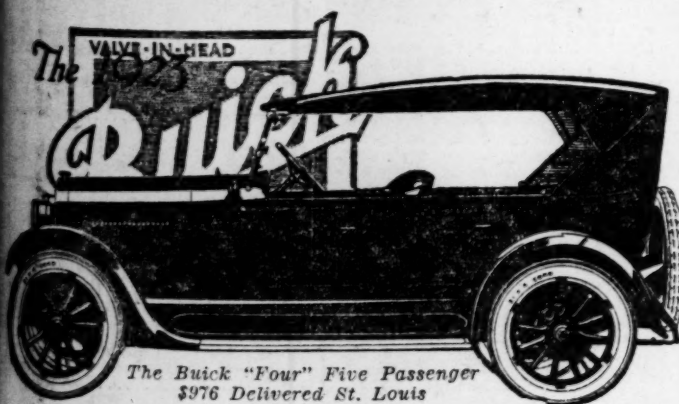
When you go to Philadelphia, go to the old State House, which is now known as Independence Hall. There you may see the very room in which the Declaration of Independence was signed. On the wall you will notice a copy of it, but the original document is kept in Washington, in the library of the State Department. In Independence Hall you may also gaze upon the Liberty Bell, the bell of the State House, which was rung immediately after the Declaration of Independence had been signed, that the good people of Philadelphia might know what had happened that memorable afternoon.

The Declaration of Independence is one of the most significant documents of history. All that the philosophers and the wise men for centuries past had said about government was here set forth in a clear, practical and concise manner. It stated that "all men were created equal" and have equal rights to "life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness." This was a new and very startling idea. The Declaration of Independence went even further and informed the King of England that "government should exist for the convenience of the people, instead of the people existing to support the government," as was the case in so many countries in Europe where the kings were everything, and the people were merely there to pay taxes.

Finally the Declaration enumerated a long list of acts of tyranny on the part of King George, and wound up by informing the world that "these united colonies are, and of right ought to be, free and independent states" and that the inhabitants intended to maintain their freedom by the use of their good swords.

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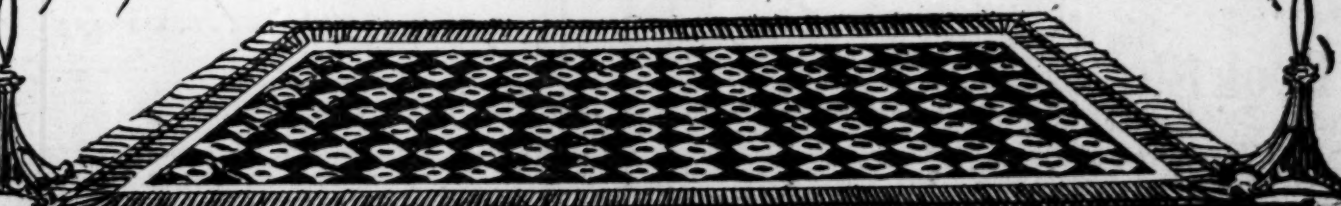
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Conducted by Dr. Otto Heller, Professor of Modern European Literature in Washington University

An Onslaught Against Private Schools—Shall the Public School Be Ruled by Needs of State or by Ideals of Personality?—Waldo Frank's Remarkable Suite of Stories—Another Load Off Our Book Chest.

By Otto Heller.

"EDUCATION IN A DEMOCRACY," by Dallas Lore Sharp. (Houghton Mifflin Co.)

HOW rudely those slogans grate on the mind: Education for Character, for Citizenship, for Leadership, for Efficiency for this and that and the other and what not! In the hasty accommodations of the country's educational machinery to the challenges and appeals of pedagogical oratory the one striking element of consistency has been the equidistance, in every case, of performance from profession. Mr. Sharp's excited championship of the public school makes just one thing perfectly clear: that the public school needs to be championed. It seems that, in the elegant phrase of the up-to-date educator, it still has to be "sold" to the American public. The fact that preparatory and public schools, parochial schools, denominational colleges, and even great universities exist and thrive on private endowments and contributions, doubtless indicates a cluster of dissatisfactions with the efficacy of the tax-supported system. Mr. Sharp would relegate them all to limbo. To him, the American public school is as national as the star-spangled banner, and those who send their sons and daughters to sectarian schools or to "caste schools" are guilty of un-American conduct. The first duty of the school is to produce the safe "American" mind.

Granting that some of the elements of public education are transient and amenable to correction, the writer of this review is less sanguine than the author about a hope of ultimate perfection. He senses an organic trouble in our public system of schooling was evolved to meet an educational need not formerly recognized; through the establishment of free schools, what was aimed at was nothing less than "universal" education. The idea was splendid, it caught on immediately, and it is being lavishly financed by the people. Only the inherent difficulty of saturating our heterogeneous millions with a uniform culture is enormously increased by the popular reasoning that those who pay for the schools should have the right to run them. Or, what comes to the same thing, to have the schools run to suit them. They do not stop to think what would be the consequence for public health if physicians prescribed medicine according to the public taste for beverages; yet there must be something in the analogy if the school is to be regarded as a place for principled application of tested scientific theories, and not as a playground for fads and hobbies or, worse still, a fortification of prejudice those national traits which education should eradicate or mollify.

The popular ideal of education as expressed in the trend of today is education for a living. Through all its grades, in private as well as in public institutions, education is being industrialized on the tacit assumption that the first and last object of school work is the promotion of economic efficiency. The assumption is a devastating error for the communal judgment since the legitimate end to be striven for is not skill, but understanding. Understanding, in a democracy, is sufficient preparation for the achievement of culture. Where no class has a patent on culture, all the factors of dignified living can be integrated in the discipline plotted for the good of the commonwealth. For instance, every child should be taught to reverence the English language, because reverence for the mother tongue is one of the surest criteria of culture. The reviewer sees little evidence in school, or in life, even of ordinary respect for the speech of the realm, to say nothing of that veneration to which every European is accustomed from infancy. In this country, where English speech is the foremost instrument of "Americanization," it has itself been so thoroughly "Americanized" that even such an expert in its use as Mr. H. L. Mencken mistakes the vernacular for a new language. Our grotesque and slovenly habits of speech are not perceptibly rectified in the schools; the most nauseating jargon has become quite normal in the halls of our high schools; while on the college campus conversation is negotiated in a veritable jungle dialect that is all but unintelligible to the visitor from abroad.

Mr. Sharp would do away with the "vocational" high school courses, and we are heartily with him. But when he wants to throw out the "college preparatory" course, we part company. Unfortunately, the sacrifice of a partly accomplished fact is even now a partly accomplished fact, in the lower and darker regions of the educational area. But already, wherever the humanities have succumbed to the onslaught of "practical studies," such as hard-selling or chirography, the lament of the remaining faithful bid fair to revive them soon. By his opposition to the "college preparatory" Mr. Sharp's protest against private schools of any sort is rendered rather absurd, for college preparation, then, to cease altogether? But he sticks to it that for normal pupils there should be one type of common school, and one only. As to its constitution, being content for the present to arraign the private scholastic establishments, on a variety of counts. One of the

most mistaken institutions in America is the parochial school, he declares. The church must not become a rival to the state. Private schools have no claim to existence save as asylums for the over-sensitive, the timid, the backward, stubborn, wayward, and fly-by-night "Country day" schools he condemns as hotbeds of snobism.

Now then, what shall be our orientation in the further development of the public school? In all education two principles contend for recognition—one making for social solidarity, the other for individuality. By which of the two should the American school be guided? The requirement of the state or the needs of the ego? Mr. Sharp gives a loftily enlightened answer, which, however, so far as I can hear, finds no echo in present-day educational agitation. Education, he says, must nationalize us first, then internationalize us. He advocates, therefore, education for democracy, inasmuch as democracy is the only political and social principle broad enough to cover all of our people and all other peoples with us. Yet we are not coming to realize that democracy is only a system of government, a device to stabilize the social living, but that it is not life itself. It is an inevitable American habit to exult over our "institutions." But the glory of a nation is not in its mutual benefit contrivances, but in its individuals. To educate for democracy is all very well—but to educate for a democracy jealously ruled by the idol of Equality, and so to educate that nothing essentially personal, individual, shall be lost to the body politic—aye, there's the rub.

"LOVE," by Leonie Aminoff (E. P. Dutton & Co.)

THIS is the second in a series of romances revolving around the life and career of Napoleon. The fact that he is not introduced into the story except as a peg upon which to hang the vacillating affections of an insipid and unconvincing Josephine does not bother the author. It is still, we are informed, a Napoleonic romance. As such, it pictures life in Paris immediately after the revolution, with the salon of Mme. Tallien the scene of many of its occurrences. In the 300 pages of this book we are dragged through a bewildering, incoherent succession of these occurrences—maudlin confidences between Mme. Tallien and Josephine, mouthings of puppets paraded under famous names, orgies and dissolute balls told with a glowing insensibility, and later in the book sentimental love scenes where the author in a sort of ecstasy comes forward and exhorts her feminine readers.

"Women, don't you envy her (Josephine)? We would have gloriied in her kisses. We can say as much now that he is dead, without any grave loss of self-respect." And so on to the end where he finally marries Josephine and she exclaims, "General, take me home."

"THE PRACTICAL BOOK OF FURNISHING THE SMALL HOUSE AND APARTMENT," by Edward Sumner Holloway. (J. B. Lippincott Co.)

THE difference between mere fashion and intrinsic style is radical and complete. Fashion may be, and often is, stylistically bad, but however good it chances upon occasion to be, it has but one use in decoration—to point the way to what is to be avoided. For a mode to be in fashion today implies that it will be passe tomorrow—its main characteristic is impermanence and no sooner is a fashion decreed than it is tumbled from its throne in favor of something either better or worse, but certainly different. So, unless the reader desires to chase a phantom and furnish anew each year, mere fashion should be ignored. But not so with style. What then is style? It is the ultimate perfection of appropriateness, and of beauty in all its components—material, form, color, contrast and ornament. Style also includes directness of procedure. When the blacksmith with a few expert blows upon the hot iron shapes the shoe, plunges it into water, places it against the horse's hoof and the spectator notes its precise fit, he says: "Some style, that!" When the artist, painting from nature, rapidly, unerringly and beautifully gaining his effect, overleaps a bystander and says to his companion: "That man knows his business," he happily smiles at what he recognizes is a tribute to his style.

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In the Literary Letter Box

SINCE the syndicalization of book publicity the "blubs" received at our desk have become so inferior that an effect opposite to that aimed at has resulted. The recent material reduction in the size of our Letter Box has been due to the inferiority of the intake. We are demonstrating today that, if driven to it, we can "make our own."

It is well to remember that a Goethe, a Balzac, an Ibsen, an Emerson have done more to establish international understanding than a Lloyd George, a Bonaparte, and the entire Kecklick Lecture Bureau. The time is here for the resumption of friendly relations with the great spirits. Among them I would recommend Goethe's letters.

"QUIT YOUR KIDDER." While William Rose Benet of the Literary Review extorts regular weekly tribute from an adopted ancestor named Kipling, the ubiquitous Heywood Brown has no scruples about amassing revenue from exhibiting at space rates the most private juvenilities of his own and only child. The exploitation of that unfortunate youngster, H. 3d, by this unnatural father moves us to pity for the present and fear for the future. H. 3d is being fed on publicity, bathed in publicity, swathed in it. We are worried about what's going to become of the boy. Already we foresee that when he gets old enough to go to school his nickname will be Booster Brown.

H. L. MENCKEN has written to Fred Lewis Pattee with a large amiability on the subject of Mr. Pattee's treatment of himself in his recent book, "Sidelights on American Literature." Can it be that this most effective master of vituperation has his moments when it is safe to explain to him his own faults?

BOOKS ON DRAMA AND THE THEATRE. The Drama League of America, with sponsors including Augustus Thomas, Eugene O'Neill, Arthur Hopkins, David Belasco, and other prominent promoters of the theatre, are starting a campaign to interest more people in good plays, and to foster the reading and study of plays. This publicity will be especially concentrated during the week of Jan. 21, with emphasis on drama books and magazines. The Drama League suggests that "there should be drama books in every library; good plays should be read before seen; a drama book list should be available in every library and book store."

TEMPORA O MORES! Just like the ordinary "commercial" Harvard University Press now sends out periodicals "for immediate release" a "Literary Notes" sheet which yields to none in aggressiveness of tone and expenditure of superlatives. Recent and forthcoming books by officers of the university, from the president down to the non-commissioned instructor, O'Ven, venerable shades of past generations of Lowell, James, Nor-ton, and Peabody!

M. R. CARL VAN DOREN, lecturer on American literature at Columbia University and for the last three years literary editor of The Na-

tion, has joined the staff of The Century Magazine as its literary editor. He will conduct in the front advertising pages of the magazine a book-review section under the title, "The Century Survey of Current Books."

The old mag, by the way, is to undergo a complete transformation in the new year. It is no longer satisfied with mere dignity, respectability or cost. For, as is declared by its head professor of blurbery, "the chimney-sweeper's caper" slipper-lavender- and old lace era has been succeeded by an era of increased momentum, harried by the increasing distractions of life—and the old mag has made up its mind to add to our hurried, harried, harrowed momentum.

ALEXANDER WOOLCOTT exclaims: "If anyone else, here or in England, since Kipling grew weary, is writing short stories which surpass (those of Edna Ferber) in their humanity or in their craftsmanship, they do not appear in the magazines to which our barbers subscribe."

W E ardently wish certain literary critics and columnists to be more sparing with broadcasting their radio recommendations of new books, poetry in particular. Bitter experience has taught us to discount their praises. Among these fulsome dispensers of sweets Messrs. Wm. Lyon Phelps and Wm. Stanley Braithwaite are the most unbecomingly.

Literary Digest International Book Review. (Funk & Wagnalls.)

THERE has been in the last year a great improvement in the quality of book reviewing. It now receives much more space and much more serious treatment as a rule, in the better grade of newspapers. Several of these issue weekly book magazines with comprehensive reviews of important novelties of the book market, and frequently these are contributed by some of the best-known writers of fiction as well as by prominent critics. And whereas formerly book reviewing was committed to, or by, the nearest unemployed, there has now developed in each of the leading newspapers a special, or subspecial, of the home literatus which differs greatly to its advantage from the old type "hack" in critical judgment and sense of responsibility. The Digest's gradual loss of interest in literature in the usual acceptance has long been a matter of wonder and great disappointment to its readers.

Here at last come explanation and amendment. Its form is the first number (December) of a new periodical devoted exclusively to book reviews, published by Messrs. Funk & Wagnalls in the same typography and format as the Literary Digest. It is called The Literary Digest International Book Review. In this number books of the season are reviewed by Gertrude Atherton, Irving Bacheller, Richard L. Gallienne, Maurice Francis Egan, George B. McCutcheon, Christopher Morley, Amy Lowell, Brandeis Matthews, Heywood Brown, Zola Gale, and others. The large participation of authoritative writers of the "creative" branch in the new organ of criticism is symptomatic of the change to which we have referred.

THE SUBCONSCIOUS COURTSHIP, by Berta Rock. (Dodd, Mead & Co.)

IN the conventional love story, the plot usually is woven entirely around the man and the woman, and facts and circumstances that make the course of true love, in "The Subconscious Courtship," Berta Rock has not permitted her plot to fall into the conventional rut, but rather has evolved for it a scheme that is so different, so entirely foreign to that which is usually expected in a novel of this kind, that the masculine reader is likely to forget he is reading a love story, and to peruse it with the avid interest he customarily might evince only toward more masculine books. Around every corner in her plot of many angles, the author has secreted a surprise, and the feeling engendered in the reader of uncertainty as to what

will happen next, holds the interest unflagging to the end.

"KID KARTOONS," by Gene Carr. (The Century Co.)

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"CITY BLOCK," by Waldo Frank. (Published by Waldo Frank, Darien, Conn.)

"WHAT do you consider the best book of 1932?" is a question we are dogging at this season with veteran artfulness. We consider that it cannot properly be asked and answered in the large. It is always venturesome to pass absolute judgment on values so largely relative and in the last reckoning incommensurable as the commanding qualities in contemporary art, even where all the works to be appraised fall within a strictly delimited category. In the literature of 1932 as a whole probably no work stands out with the requisite singularity for the claim of primacy among a myriad. It is temerity for the bookman to announce his grades even in a small and quite special class. Still, when the expected season is so sensibly restricted, it need no longer be shrilly by the brave.

If you were to put it to us squarely, this way: Name the author of the English-written short stories of 1932 that are biggest with artistic pregnancy, that are most honestly and devoutly literature, we should not hesitate a moment: Waldo Frank is your man.

Perhaps we should have broken the starting news earlier in the year, but it happens that "City Block" in addition to being the best story book of the year, is also the best-looking. An admirable Christmas gift—for the very adult—Mens magna in corpore pulchro. If liberty may be taken with familiar quotations from a dead and defenseless language, or mens sana, for the matter of that, Waldo Frank is cured of the miasm and marmosin of the period, free from the mild lunacies and shrieking manias of the "moderns" of 16 and 61. He does not represent excess of any sort—nor intemperate moderation. He has neither forfeited his decent manners in rebellion, nor pauperized his intellect by docility. The discovery was natural to him that the mean (in Latin, medium) is the appointed medium of art.

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from the pictures they would deserve a good cheque from Life or Judge. The letter press beneath these excellent drawings displays no less than do the pictures themselves, a fertility of invention matched only by the realism of the execution. Mr. Carr has the gift of getting on paper by a rare combination of graphic and literary art the humor and pathos of child life in the big city.

"RANDOM MEMORIES," by Ernest Wadsworth Longfellow. (Houghton Mifflin Co.)

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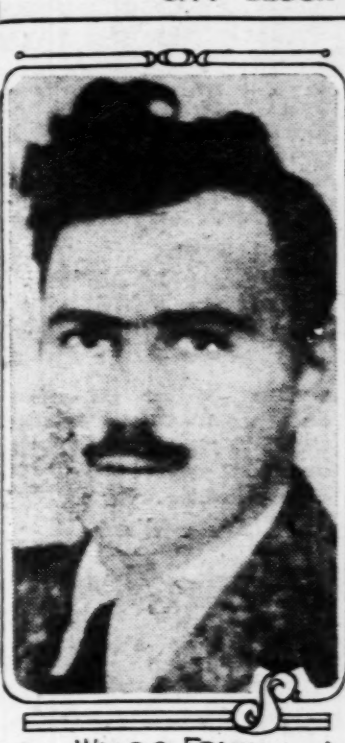
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and neither despairing nor too confident of its self-fulfillment. Still nursing the unconquerable hope. . . . Still clutching the inviolable shade.

Similarity of theme and title tempts to a word of critical comparison of "City Block" with "The Vertical City." Fannie Hurst writes a live story and writes it well. Her work has considerable reality; more of it, to the superficial sense, than Frank's. But it appears that our desire has passed beyond the point where frowzy realism can satisfy. We expect more than the physiological verity for which a Zola strove. The newer realism deepens reality by boring lower down into questions of life. Its ambition is representatively voiced for the author by one of the "Persons of the Book":

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J. W. Pierson. (Doubleday,
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comprises nine men and two women
at present, does not wish to be ad-
dressed in communications as "Lad-
ies and Gentlemen." Polite saluta-
tions in recognition of the presence
of women on the board must be used
no more.

Henceforth letters must
begin with a cold and formal "Mem-
bers of the Board."
The board reached this decision at
the close of last night's meeting after
a discussion precipitated by receipt
of a letter from three school officials
which began with "Ladies and Gen-
tlemen." Mrs. Benjamin F. Bush, a
member of the board for some time,
who has become accustomed to con-
sider herself included in the gen-
eralized greeting "Gentlemen," and
Mrs. Elias Michael, recently ap-
pointed, took part in the discussion.

The building of a new 12-room
school for negro children on the site
of the Lincoln School, Twenty-third
and Walnut streets, was de-
cided upon. The building will be a
constructed that 12 rooms can be added
later to make it a grade A school.
The announcement of the purchase
of a site for a new negro high school,
306 to 3012 Cascade avenue, was
made. The buildings on the site will
be razed, but no plans for the erec-
tion of a building have been consid-
ered.

An additional plot of ground ad-
joining that recently purchased op-
posite the Marquette School on Mc-
Pherson avenue, was ordered pur-
chased. The whole will be used as
a playground for the school.

The resignation of Christopher W.
Johnson, assistant superintendent,
it, previously published, was re-
ceived and filed. The letter was
not discussed. Mayor Kiel will be
notified this week of the vacancy
caused by the resignation and asked
to appoint a successor to Johnson, a
Republican.

A resolution recommended by
Superintendent of Instruction Mal-
dox voicing the appreciation by the
board of the 50 years' service in the
schools of Prof. Peter Ilczog, re-
cently retired, was adopted.

OFFICER ACQUITTED OF FALSE REPORT CHARGE IN PISTOL CASE

Police Board Absolves Patrolman
Jordan; Allegation Grew Out of
Colbeck Arrest.

Patrolman Henry Jordan, Central
District, was acquitted on charges
of making a false report about the
arrest, Aug. 11, of William P. Col-
beck, successor to the late William
Egan as leader of "Egan's Rats."

His acquittal followed a hearing be-
fore the Police Board yesterday af-
ternoon.
Jordan made a written report after
the arrest that he had taken a
loaded automatic pistol from be-
neath Colbeck's coat. It developed
at the hearing yesterday that
the pistol was taken from
Colbeck by Eugene Canda, a
clerk in the Detective Bureau,
who was with Jordan at the time
of the arrest. Jordan was busy
searching Charles (Red) Smith, with
Colbeck at the time, and did not
see where Canda got the pistol. Can-
da testified Colbeck drew the re-
volver from beneath his coat and
handed it to him before he could
search him.

When the preliminary hearing was
held in the case, Sept. 9, in the
Court of Criminal Correction, Canda
was not summoned and although
Colbeck was bound over to the grand
jury it could do nothing, in view of
Jordan's sworn statement, which
failed to show Colbeck had the weap-
on concealed.

BODIES OF FARMER AND WIFE
FOUND WITH HEADS CRUSHED
Farm Hand Employed by Indiana
Couple, Held in Jail, Denies Knowl-
edge of Double Murder.

NEW CASTLE, Ind., Dec. 13.—
Ben Brookshire, 35 years old, farm
hand, who was lodged in the county
jail here yesterday, following discov-
ery of the murders of Mr. and Mrs.
William G. Shaffer, still denied
knowledge of the crime early today.
Mr. and Mrs. Shaffer were found
on their farm near Middletown with
their heads crushed. A small hand
ax, which authorities believe was
used by the slayer, was found in the
room near Mrs. Shaffer's body. Shaf-
fer's body was found in a corn crib.

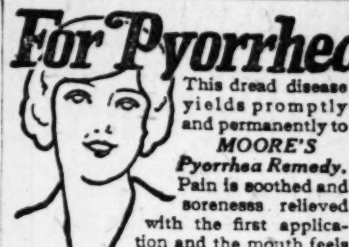
Brookshire could not give a defi-
nite outline of his movements last
Tuesday. Officers said the couple
probably had been murdered on
Wednesday night of last week.

Billie Huffstickler, 3-year-old
nephew of Mrs. Shaffer, was found
in bed beside his aunt's body. He
was not harmed, although he was
suffering from cold and lack of food
and proper attention. Brookshire
had been employed on the Shaffer
farm. The Shaffer automobile was
found abandoned at Newcastle. Jew-
elry said to have been owned by
Mrs. Shaffer was missing.

WETS IN BRITISH COLUMBIA LOSE FIGHT FOR BEER BY GLASS

Legislature Votes 25 to 17 to Drop
Discussion of Plan Providing
for a Pictish.

By the Associated Press.
VICTORIA, B. C., Dec. 13.—By a
vote of 25 to 17 the British Columbia
Legislature decided to drop for this
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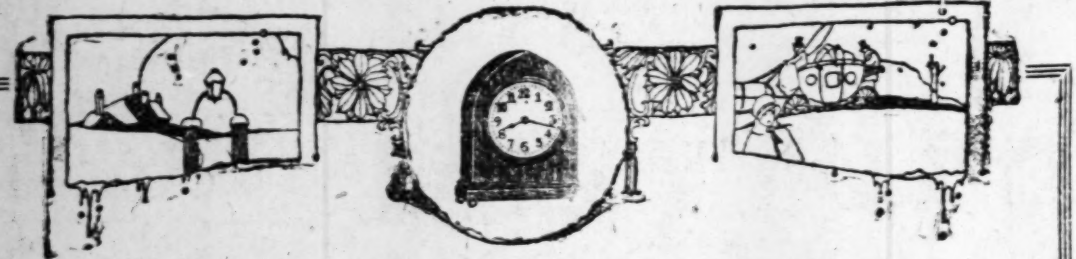
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gins, resided in East St. Louis. Two defendants, Curtis Dillon of Cairo and John Nazarak of Washington Park, not saloon keepers, entered pleas of guilty to possession of liquor and were fined \$100 and costs each. The fines and costs were paid.



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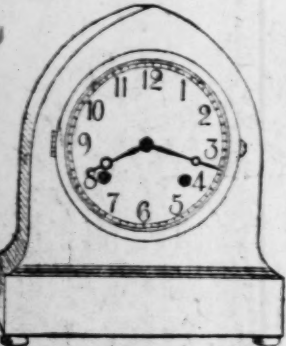
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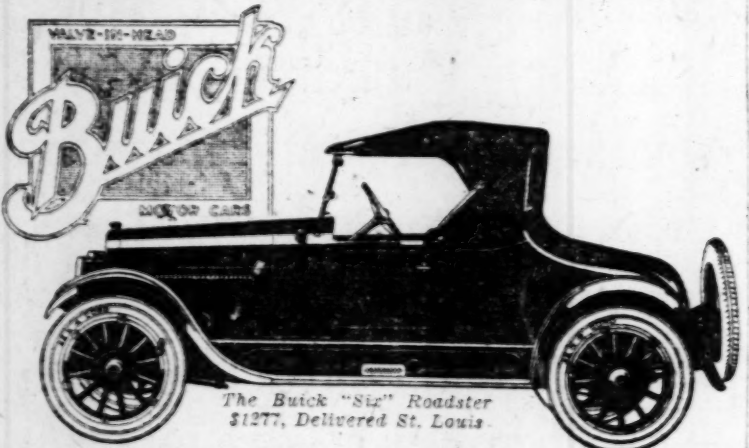
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MILK DISTRIBUTERS WIN LONG CONTEST WITH PRODUCERS

Result Is That Price in St. Louis Is Gradually Getting Back to Old Level of Last Few Years.

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Farmers' Organization, Once Powerful, Has Failed to Function and Effort Is Being Made to Revive It.

A spirited commercial contest extending over a period of years between a farmers' co-operative association and St. Louis milk distributors to control the price of milk recently ended in a victory for the distributors and disaster to the farmers' organization, with the result that the retail price of milk is gradually getting back to its old level of the last few years, being 13 cents a quart today.

This was disclosed when it was learned that strenuous efforts are being made to reorganize the Southern Illinois Milk Producers' Association, an organization of dairy farmers, which a few years ago was so powerful that it dictated the wholesale price to be paid the producers of Southern Illinois and Eastern Missouri.

But the association has recently failed to function as a price-fixer owing to the skill of an organized opposition by St. Louis distributors in meeting competition, and the leaders of the farmers' organization have decided to try to get the dairy farmer stick to the business of milk production and keep away from the marketing business.

History of Association. The association was formed in 1913, the farmers said, to counteract the tactics of a combine of St. Louis distributors to hold milk prices down. The membership grew to nearly 7500 milk producers in Southern Illinois and Eastern Missouri and at one time demanded and received as high as \$2.35 a hundred pounds for milk, forcing the retail price in St. Louis to 16 and 17 cents a quart.

The association, by virtue of its close organization and harmoniously functioning units, went so far at times in enforcing its will, when its terms were rejected by the St. Louis dairies, as to destroy the milk or feed it to hogs rather than shade the price and many a conference with the St. Louis distributors was summarily adjourned when the distributors insisted that St. Louis would not buy high-priced milk.

But things have changed and it became known to the St. Louis milk distributors no longer deal with the milk producers' organization, or to be more exact, the shell of what once was an organization. They deal direct with individual farmers, or with small groups, and there are no more conferences with a "milk board" representing all the milk producers of Southern Illinois and Eastern Missouri, while about 300 members of the association who organized the co-operative selling company are casting about to find a market for their milk.

Marketing Idea Conceived. The association was doing quite well for the farmer until certain of its ambitious members conceived the idea, late in 1929, that they could do even better by having their own co-operative marketing company, with the result that in May, 1931, Missouri-Illinois Co-operative Milk Producers' Association was incorporated and began to function as such. With the advent of this company the retail price of milk suddenly dropped from 13 to 10 cents a quart in St. Louis, indicating that someone had started a fight, and certain of the big distributors began buying milk in other states, some having it shipped by express as far as 500 miles.

About 3000 milk producers in Southern Illinois signed contracts to sell their milk to the new company and the company got several St. Louis distributors to buy its milk, but the large distributors stood aloof and got their milk elsewhere. Here was encountered the first problem for the new company—it had plenty of milk but lacked market therefor.

Now in Hands of Receivers. Other troubles came when some of the distributors who had been buying from the co-operative company failed to make prompt payments, and at the end of the first 18 months it became necessary to issue \$120,000 in bonds with which to pay the farmers for milk that certain distributors had not paid for. But some of the farmers would not accept bonds and insisted on cash when it became known that the company's customers owed \$77,000. A bankruptcy petition was filed against the company about two weeks ago.

Ice Illegal in Maine Now. AUGUSTA, Me.—Maine was front State in its prohibition law and continues to set the pace. Beginning Dec. 6 ice cannot be legally served in—or for—any drinks in the hotels or public eating places of the State—not even for water. Officials point out there is danger of harmful bacteria in ice.

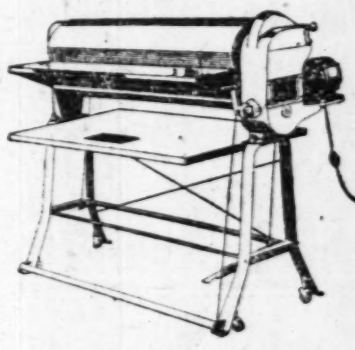
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Zbyszko Declares He Does Not Have to Rely on the "Scissors" to Go at a Winning Clip

Ruppert Now Sole Owner of \$3,000,000 Yankees; Huston, Ban Johnson's Foe, Retires

Purchase of Partner's Holdings for Approximately \$1,500,000 Admitted by Former Brewer—Details to Be Completed Within Week—Retiring Stockholder Made Fortune in Baseball.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.
NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Col. Jacob Ruppert, one time head of the Knickerbocker Brewing Co., is the sole owner of the New York Yankees. The famous sportsman who has owned crack race horses, crack dogs and crack yachts smilingly admitted yesterday that he now is sole possessor of the crack ball club of the country. A few minor details remain to be settled before the \$3,000,000 deal becomes official.

One week will see the transfer consummated. In an interview at the club offices Col. Ruppert confirmed the announcement of a change in ownership of the American League champions, made by his partner, Col. Tillinghast L. H. Huston, on Monday evening. Huston, a bitter opponent of Ban Johnson, president of the league, owned 50 per cent of the stock.

"There isn't a great deal to say," began Col. Ruppert when cornered by the newspaper men. "Some time ago Col. Huston declared that he was tired of baseball. We had had several offers for our property that were flattering.

"Finally one came that seemed too good to be refused. Mr. Sims, a Kentucky racing man, made a real bid. I will leave it to Col. Huston to tell the figures. Like the good friend that he has always been to me, he told me of the proposition and then informed me that I would have the first chance. I decided that I would keep it only to see our fine stadium established.

Ruppert declines to sell. "So I have decided to become the sole owner of the Yankees. I will have no partners. I hope that we will have a good baseball team next spring, and I can promise that there will be no change in the policy of our club to give New York the best that there is in baseball.

So far the figures in the deal went Col. Huston confirmed those published in the Post-Dispatch yesterday. The offer of Edward F. Sims for the whole club was almost \$2,000,000. On this basis, Ruppert will receive almost \$1,500,000 for his holdings from Col. Ruppert.

There is nothing in the stories that Huston has sold his share in the Yankees in order to buy any of the

Retirement of Huston Will Relieve Johnson Of His Bitterest Foe

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Tillinghast Huston has, as admitted by his partner, Jake Ruppert, sold out his half interest in the Yankees. B. B. Johnson, president of the American League, can have one large sigh of relief. From the time of his entrance into the American League in 1915, Huston has opposed the dictatorship of Johnson and has fought him in both baseball and civil courts.

Huston came into baseball in 1915 when, with Ruppert, he purchased the New York holdings of Frank Farrell, who, at the time, had become persona non grata to Ban Johnson. Since their advent into the game, Ruppert and Huston have built up the club from a \$500,000 investment to one said to be worth \$3,000,000.

Huston's biggest fight with Johnson developed over the May 1919 case, in which the New York club not only won in the civil court, but also, working with Comiskey and Frazee of the American, and with disgruntled National League owners, combined to put out Judge Kenesaw M. Landis on the baseball throne and Johnson himself in the background.

Ruppert is friendly to Johnson and the retirement of his partner would leave only two insurgents left in the American League—Harry Frazee and Charles Comiskey.

following clubs: New York Giants, Brooklyn Robins, Boston Red Sox.

He Will Have Yankee Baseball Club All to Himself, Next Season



JACOB RUPPERT. Reported in New York dispatches to have arranged to buy out his partner, J. Tillinghast Huston, for \$1,500,000. The partnership acquired the property for \$500,000 in 1915. A bid of \$3,000,000 was recently made for their entire holdings.

Hurd to Play With Billiken Quintet

Former Washington Basketball Star Will Be Eligible After Jan. 20.

Athletic Director O'Rourke of St. Louis University sent 40 candidates for the basketball team through a short workout at the Sodality Hall of the university yesterday.

Six members of the 1921 squad were on hand. The veterans are: Red, center-left last season; Kelley and Steele, forwards; Ergler and Kelly, guards; and Greanan, utility man. Karl Weber, captain of last season's five, reported, but he will attempt to work until after the holidays. Even then an old injury to his knee may keep him out. The loss of Weber would be a severe blow to O'Rourke.

Included in the new varsity material is Tommy Kelly, star of last season's freshman quintet, and 1922 football performer; Bob Hannigan, another football player who will try for a berth. Hannigan formerly played with the Yeatman High five, Frank O'Leary and Joe Lubbe, two former members of the St. L. U. quintet of 1920, are among the newcomers. Henry Hurd, former Washington U. star, will be eligible after Jan. 20.

The Billikens will play their games at the First Regiment Armory. The Billikens have booked many games, but have decided on no definite dates. The long eastern trip of former years will be supplanted by several short trips. Among the schools booked by the Billikens are: De Paul University of Chicago, Creighton of Omaha, Rolla, Rockhurst and the Arkansas Aggies.

O'Rourke will not take charge of the varsity basketball this year, but will devote his entire time to the formation of inter-department teams and leagues. The coaching of the varsity and freshman quintets will be turned over to O'Rourke's assistants, Savage and Joe McGinley.

SEVEN KNOCKOUTS IN EIGHT BOUTS FEATURE LAFAYETTE CLUB SHOW

Seven out of eight bouts on the amateur boxing program of the Lafayette Athletic Club show, held last night at Macabre Club Hall, resulted in knockouts.

The sole bout to go the limit of three rounds was that in which Russell Kinner of the National A. C. won from Roy Hanson of the Macabre A. C. according to the verdict of the judges.

The show was conducted and the bouts refereed by Brooklyn Tommy Sullivan.

The results follow:
112-POUND, semifinals—Milton Gatz (Y. M. H. A.) defeated Paul Lane (Lafayette A. C.) knockout, second round. Final—Gatz (Y. M. H. A.) defeated Lane (Lafayette A. C.) knockout, second round. Final—Gatz (Y. M. H. A.) defeated Lane (Lafayette A. C.) knockout, second round. Final—Gatz (Y. M. H. A.) defeated Lane (Lafayette A. C.) knockout, second round.

147-POUND—Russell Kinner (National A. C.) defeated Roy Hanson (Macabre A. C.) three rounds. CATCHWEIGHTS—Urban Goebel (National A. C.) defeated Bill Schrick (Lafayette A. C.) knockout, first round. REFERENCE—Tommy Sullivan.

Indoor Net Event Dec. 26.
NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Play in the National Junior and boys' indoor tennis championships, sanctioned by the United States Lawn Tennis Association and held under the auspices of the Seventh Regiment Tennis Club, will begin here Dec. 26. There will be competition in both singles and doubles.

Columbia Names Koppisch.
By the Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Walter Fredrick Koppisch of Buffalo, N. Y., has been re-elected captain of the Columbia football team. He has played at left half.

Mensel and Ward To Go To Chicago Is Latest Rumor

A. L. Owners Meet Today—National League Votes to Open Season April 17.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.
NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—According to the whispering in overheated baseball, Eddie Collins, great as a second baseman, is now the property of the New York Yankees. Perhaps he is. But Miller Huggins, manager of the American League champions, was frank to say yesterday that nothing definite would be settled until the American League meeting today. He admitted with equal frankness that he has high hopes.

From sources other than the mite manager it was learned that Aaron Ward and Meusel, a sum of money would go to the Chicago White Sox in exchange for Collins and Dick Kerr. Kerr's ineffectuality has served to hold up the deal, according to reports. If Kerr is finally dropped as a trading possibility, Bib Falk, the outfielder, may be included in the transfer.

From still another source it was learned that Kid Gleason, manager of the White Sox, would not consider any trade that did not involve a pitcher and that Sam Jones was the one he wanted.

National League Opens April 17.
"Old Timers Day" may be one of the bright spots in future baseball seasons. This year in Boston the "old timers," such as great players in the past as Joe Young, Charles "Kid" Nichols, Fred Tenney, Jo Kever, Jesse Burkett, Jimmy Collins, Hans Wagner and a number of others played a game, and no less than 20,000 fans attended.

At the National League meeting yesterday the club owners received a letter from Fred Tenney, once great first baseman, requesting that a day be set aside by the league to be known as "Old Timers Day." All of the owners were in favor of it, but no action was taken. Tenney also sent a letter to the American League. The matter was left for the joint meeting.

The opening of the season on a Tuesday (the National League voted yesterday to start April 17), will not be pleasant news to Harry Frazee, president of the Boston Red Sox. Frazee recently declared that the season always began on Wednesday and that the visiting club always got the first Saturday date. Mr. Frazee is a business man and is anxious to start the season on Wednesday and the reason is this. His Red Sox open the 1923 campaign at the Yankees new stadium.

The International League club owners again went on record as being opposed to the draft or any substitute.

There were many past, present and future greats on hand. But the most familiar figure was that of Matty "Big Six" Sauer around Chicago. With his cronies and selling Christmas seal stamps.

"Chuck" Ward left the big show when the Brooklyn club released the infielder to the Reading team.

Otto Miller, veteran catcher, may sign a contract with the Pittsburgh Pirates. Miller will confer with Barney Dreftus today. The catcher turned down an offer to manage the Atlanta team of the Southern Association.

Ben Johnson arrived today and will call the American League to order at 4 o'clock this afternoon. The meeting will probably go over till tomorrow and run into the joint meeting of the two leagues.

Kerrick Plays Ranken.
The Kendrick High School basketball team is scheduled to play the Ranken Trade School five on the Kendrick court tonight.

The show was conducted and the bouts refereed by Brooklyn Tommy Sullivan.

The results follow:
112-POUND, semifinals—Milton Gatz (Y. M. H. A.) defeated Paul Lane (Lafayette A. C.) knockout, second round. Final—Gatz (Y. M. H. A.) defeated Lane (Lafayette A. C.) knockout, second round. Final—Gatz (Y. M. H. A.) defeated Lane (Lafayette A. C.) knockout, second round.

147-POUND—Russell Kinner (National A. C.) defeated Roy Hanson (Macabre A. C.) three rounds. CATCHWEIGHTS—Urban Goebel (National A. C.) defeated Bill Schrick (Lafayette A. C.) knockout, first round. REFERENCE—Tommy Sullivan.

Indoor Net Event Dec. 26.
NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Play in the National Junior and boys' indoor tennis championships, sanctioned by the United States Lawn Tennis Association and held under the auspices of the Seventh Regiment Tennis Club, will begin here Dec. 26. There will be competition in both singles and doubles.

Columbia Names Koppisch.
By the Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Walter Fredrick Koppisch of Buffalo, N. Y., has been re-elected captain of the Columbia football team. He has played at left half.

WRAY'S COLUMN

A New Eldorado.
DESPITE all predictions to the contrary, in the face of wars, a crooked world series, charges and counter charges of gambling, baseball pools of Aladdin's lamp magnitude, internal fights, disgruntled players, rising salaries and cost of operation, the national pastime of baseball continues to grow like Jack's beanstalk.

Originally a byproduct of the saloon, promoted more with the idea of selling beer than of advancing baseball or of making money out of it, the game has risen to undreamed of heights as a "big business."

If you doubt it, take the most recent case—the disposal of "Colonel" Huston's New York Yankee stock for \$1,500,000. In 1915 Huston bought half the Yankee stock for \$250,000. In 1922 he is closing out at a profit of five times what he invested. In addition he gained huge dividends that the club has earned since the United States entered the war and prior to that for two seasons. In seven seasons Huston reaped a reward of not less than a million and one-half dollars on \$250,000.

Find another investment like it.

At Home Situation.
RIGHT here at home we have

another illustration or two. In 1917 the Cardinals changed owners. The newcomers borrowed the price and owed the rest. Despite war years, the club in five campaigns has paid itself out, owns a half-million-dollar franchise, and last year made a handsome dividend.

R. L. Hedges ran \$20,000 up to \$125,000 during his ownership of the Browns. And recently Walter Futch, who bought the Otto Stulz baseball holdings, almost paid for his stock in the Browns out of the dividends that have accrued since.

Where will the baseball advance? Each five year sees its capitalization expand its parks grow larger, its attendance increase. Where and when will the limit be reached?

For there is a limit to all things.

What's the Matter?
ALTHOUGH the Police Board

some weeks ago announced a fast-track a little toward the continuance of the boxing game here, no professional shows have been held. No commission has been appointed, although several names of competent men have been considered favorably. No progress whatever seems to have been made.

So far as can be learned there is no opposition to boxing here on the part of any official from the terror down to the board members. The wrangle appears to be over the commission.

An opinion by the City Counselor that the boxing commission proposed would have no legal standing seems to be bothering the board.

Of course, the boxing commission is not authorized by any law. It was established merely as an aid to regulating affairs of the state and making them conform to police rules. The old commission served without any legal standing and did wonderful work. A new commission could work in the same way.

Peewee Out of Luck.
MORE detailed reports of the

Kaiser-Curtin drama at Madison Square Garden Monday indicate that strict adherence to police rules may have been responsible for Kaiser's quick and surprising downfall.

Stories of the bout relate that Curtin caught Kaiser "coming out of a clinch and dazed him." In St. Louis that's a foul. It's hitting on the breakaway, but the referee always says that the men are in the clear, before tolerating a renewal of fighting.

Here's an excerpt from the New York Journal again:

"Kaiser's double again! Starting time."

M. V. Basketball Coaches Agree on Changes in Rules

Officials Go Against "Book" on Number of "Steps to Be Taken" Law.

Interpretation of the two major changes in this year's basketball rules was agreed on by athletic directors of the Missouri Valley Conference at the annual meeting at Kansas City last week.

The first change has to do with fouls and their accompanying penalties. The floor of the court is now divided into three regions, two goal zones at each end and the middle zone between. The goal zone includes the space between the basket and the line from which free throws are made.

Henceforth, if a defensive player commits a personal foul on the man in possession of the ball within the goal zone, the opposition is allowed two free throws. This penalty was formerly assessed only in case the man throwing for a basket had been personally fouled. All other personal fouls will, as before, be penalized by one free throw.

Formerly all technical fouls, other than personal, were penalized by one free throw. The new rule provides that no technical foul will be penalized as before, but instead the team against which the foul was committed will be given possession of the ball out of bounds at the nearest side line.

About Number of Steps.
The second important change in the rules governs the number of steps that may be taken by the player in possession of the ball. Last year the player with the ball was allowed to take one step in any direction, and as much of the second step as he wished, so long as the ball left his hand before his foot touched the floor again, completing the second step.

The new rule provides that a player having the ball may, as before, take one step in any direction, but he must get rid of the ball as his foot leaves the floor to make what would be a second step.

The conference coaches at their meeting felt that the statement "his foot leaves the floor" was liable to be variously interpreted. Consequently they agreed that a foul in conference games, unless more than half of the second step is taken.

Coach Appleman, in charge of Washington University's basketball squad, believes that the new rule will have a noticeable effect on the game. He believes that giving the opposition fouls will not only limit the number of out-of-bounds plays, but will develop several formations designed especially for such occasions. In fact, the Pikeaway method said that he is now devoting much time in drilling his men to convert the penalty for technical fouls into a point score.

The second rule he thinks will have a tendency to slow up the game somewhat. It will be very difficult, he thinks, for players drilled in certain styles of pivoting to keep from fouling under the new provision.

Princeton Elects Raymond.
By the Associated Press.
PRINCETON, N. J., Dec. 13.—Ridgeway Raymond of Kansas City, Mo., was yesterday elected captain of Princeton University's 1923 cross-country team. He finished first in Princeton in the Harvard, Yale and Princeton triangular meet this year.

in a Harlem club recently had installed him as a favorite.

The bout opened with Irish Johnny attacking and Kaiser blocking, doing the faster stuff. He ducked and dodged so really that the crowd predicted he would wear out the Jewer man and then open up and do his stuff. Perhaps that was Kaiser's idea, but Curtin changed the plot in the first few minutes of the second round.

Kaiser was too slow backing out of a clinch and as a result he caught a short left hook on the chin and kissed the canvas for a count of seven. He got up dazed and attempted to clinch, but Curtin beat him away by main strength and dropped him in a neutral corner with a swing to the jaw.

Johnny worked to the body in the next clinch and when he was backing away he elbowed the left to the body and then brought it up to the chin. Kaiser fell heavily for the third time and a towel came sailing into the ring.

Zbyszko Will Set Record if He Regains Mat Title at Age of 43

Veteran Wrestler Who Meets Lewis Here Tomorrow, Already Has Defied Father Time by Remaining in the Running at an Age When Most Athletes Are Through.

"Strangler" Ed Lewis (Robert Fredericks of California) and Zbyszko (Stanislaus Cyganiewicz) of Galicia, yesterday, did preliminary training for their championship wrestling match at the Coliseum, Thursday. The reason was not laziness but lack of opponents with whom to work.

Both men reported at downtown gymnasiums but had to be content with mere exercise, as no athletes were present. Efforts by the managers of both wrestlers were made to have heavyweights available for them this afternoon.

Not that either man expects to do any severe practice with the title bout only two days distant, but each feels the necessity of keeping on edge and of getting up a sweat daily. The real conditioning of both men has been done on the mat in actual matches or exhibitions. Champion Lewis has been wrestling two or three times weekly and Zbyszko almost as often.

Zbyszko, in particular, has put his best effort into preparation for this event, which he has been looking forward to since last summer. In his recent appearance here he looked better and fitter than on any previous occasion. Zbyszko now weighs about 224 pounds, which represents a reduction of more than 40 pounds from his weight two years ago.

Zbyszko at His "Peak."
The bald-headed veteran probably will never again be fitter for a comeback than at present. Despite his years he is fairly fast, undoubtedly still has his prodigious strength and displays soft, smooth, elastic muscles that bespeak power and endurance. In spite of his 43 years and long experience on the mat, Zbyszko's muscles have none of that bunched appearance that are the hall-mark of the muscle bound athlete. Physical by he is more formidable looking than his heavier rival, although Lewis will probably outweigh his foe by ten or more pounds.

The effort Thursday will be something of a last call for Zbyszko, who already has handed Father Time a body blow by remaining actively in the championship running at an age when most athletes have settled down to amuse their grandchildren.

Should he regain his title he will establish an athletic longevity record. No previous athlete of world-wide importance ever lasted as long in the more strenuous pastimes. Not even the grand old man of tennis, Norman Brookes, was able to hold on to his laurels until the age of 40. In the boxing game Britton and Fitzsimmons went out at 37 and most of the others passed out long before.

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Lewis is in his prime. At the age of 29 he is the world's premier and has the reputation of being a "go-ahead" and "back-and-forth" and "throw him out in one condition, he says. He is coming."

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Additional Sporting News

NEWLY BOOSTERS ROLL
2638 IN CITY SCRATCH
BOWLING TOURNAMENT

Low scores are still the rule in
the city scratch bowling tournament
at the Palace alleys. Last night, the
boosters with a total of 2638
were high. The Dutch Masters count-
ed 2638 and the Engineers 2615. They
were the only quintets over the 2600
mark. The Pevels moved into fifth
place. The schedule—7 p. m. Fas-

ion Plates, Hope Alleys, Ziegenheims,
Resitors, Schaper, Stores, Union Fuel
and Ice; 9 p. m., Junlatas, Le Gears,
Compton Hills, Reed & Steigers,
United Bakers and Phil Hahns.

Hikers Go to Columbia.
Members of the Catspaw Walking
Club, with Frank Kriege as pacemaker,
will hike to Columbia, Ill., and
return, a distance of 35 miles, Sun-
day. The members will leave Eads
Bridge at 9 a. m. Last Sunday the
hike was to St. Charles.

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In Title Contest

Speed Is Most Impressive Char-
acteristic of Play of
Buick Eleven.

By Dent McSkimming.

There is food for conjecture in the
unusual soccer program to be fur-
nished by two St. Louis teams at
High School Field Sunday. The
Scullins, national champions, risk
their title in a national cup game
with the Vesper-Buicks.

There is a widespread conviction
among soccer fans that the Buicks
are the logical successors of the
Scullins in local, if not national su-
premaccy. This may not be their
year of ascendancy but, eventually,
the Buicks will dethrone the Scul-
lins, popular opinion holds.

Two fast young outside men, Joe
McCarthy and George Corrigan, a
pair of useful but not brilliant inside
men, Irv Wimer and Leo Bergin
and a bouncing little center for-
ward possessed of an indomitable
spirit and a good sense of football
judgment, "Shorty" Ryser, form the
Buick forward line. As near as can
be determined, the average age of
these five men is 23 years. That
signifies speed and, truly, the most
impressive characteristic of the
Buicks' play is astonishing speed.

There is youth, too, in the half-
back line. Eddie Burke, at center,
is approaching 30, but his position
is flanked by two lads, who have
just passed 20. Ollie Pink on the
right and Gockel on the left. Burke
is a successful veteran who was
"made over" from a forward. He
knows how to dribble to get out of
a tight place and he can get direc-
tion on his attempts at heading the
ball. He is a fine defender and a
valuable man in midfield, but he is
seldom heard from as a scorer of
goals. Pink, too, is primarily a
defensive man. He has mastered the
art of heading the ball and he is
thoroughly reliable in checking a
forward who might attempt to drib-
ble through his position. Gockel is
often up with his forwards and
while not as clever an artist as
Burke or Pink, his excellent phys-
ique makes it possible for him to
cover more ground than either of
his mates.

Hack Is Aggressive Player.
Fitzgerald and Hack, the fullbacks,
are effective if not impassable.
Hack, the veteran of the two, is
probably the most aggressive back
in the league. He is sure enough
a ground ball, but at short waist
high, always gives him trouble. A
short pass or a dribble have him
at advantage, but he is not a
turbid he gets great distance out of
his kicks. Fitzgerald has recently
played spectacular football and he
should prove one of the stars of the
day against the Scullins. He always
has an eye to placing his long kicks
where his forwards can handle them
in heading the ball he is really
clever.

Ja Barke, in goal, is having a great
year. One of his greatest assets
is his ability to clear a ball quickly.
He can't punch and he can't kick,
but his snap throw to the sidelines
has usually proved effective.

In their games to date the Buicks
have shown little attempt at com-
bination play. They have relied
primarily upon speed and punch.
Their whirlwind tactics have carried
them to some brilliant victories. Al-
most invariably they carry the at-
tack through McCarthy or Corrigan,
the two fleet wing men. Ryser very
rarely attempts to bring the ball
up through center.

**PRINCIPAL FIVE WINS
FROM GRANITE CITY**
The Principia Academy basketball
team opened its season last night by
defeating the Granite City High
School five, 34 to 17, in Howard Gym.
Play was even until the last part of
the second half.

Carl Berginger was the individual
star of the game. He scored a total
of 18 points for Principia. Collins,
right forward for Granite City, led
his team in scoring.

Friday night the McKinley High
first and second teams will call at
Principia for a double-header, start-
ing at 7:30 p. m. The Principia Band
will play during both games. The
lineup of last night's contest fol-
lows:

Principia (34). Positions: Granite City (17).
Rice (4). Left forward. Collins (3).
Green (2). Left guard. Ryser (2).
McCarthy (2). Right guard. Corrigan (2).
Berginger (18). Right guard. Fitzgerald (2).
Burke (2). Left guard. Gockel (4).
Pink (0). Left forward. Hack (4).
Niemelander (2). Left forward. Taylor (4).
Reber (2). Right guard. Scores—Taylor.

**CAPT. MEWAN WILL
COACH ARMY ELEVEN**

By the Associated Press.
WEST POINT, N. Y., Dec. 13.—Maj.
Charles D. Daly, since 1912 head
coach of the Army football team, has
relinquished his duties, on his own
request, and has been succeeded by
Capt. John J. Mewan. It was an-
nounced officially yesterday. Maj.
Daly will remain on duty in the de-
partment of tactics.

The new gridiron mentor has been
Army line coach for four years. From
1912 to 1916 he played on the Army
team and repeatedly was chosen ill-
American center.

Last Night's Fights
Indianapolis—Jimmy Dalton won
Indiana lightweight title, defeating
Louis Lavelle in 10 rounds. Maxie
Epstein won from Jimmy Sayers,
10 rounds.

Denver, Colo.—George Manly
gained decision over Young Billy
Blake, 10 rounds.

San Antonio, Tex.—Kid Poncebo
knocked out Bill Dixon in second
of scheduled eight-round bout. Sam
Hico defeated Jack Fowler, eight
rounds.

Wichita, Kan.—Chief John Mc-
quinn and Ole Anderson, heavy-
weights, fought 10-round draw.

Donnie Bush Will
Manage Nationals

Veteran Infielder Succeeds Milan,
Who Handled Club Last
Season.

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Ap-
pointment of Owen (Donnie) Bush,
veteran infielder, as manager of the
Washington American League base-
ball club to succeed Clyde Milan was
announced by Clark Griffith, presi-
dent of the club, over the telephone
from New York last night.

The selection of Bush, who came
to Washington during the season of
1921 as a utility infielder, following his
release by Detroit, where he saw
many years of service as shortstop

and second baseman, came as a
complete surprise to Washington
fans. Following Griffith's announce-
ment at the close of the 1922 race
that Milan would not manage the
team again next year, numerous ma-
jor and minor league managers were
mentioned as possibilities for the
berth, but Bush's name was not
brought out. Griffith said he made

the appointment after a final confer-
ence with Bush in New York.
"The selection was made," Griffith
said, "after weighing the possibilities
of many I had in mind for the place.
Bush has been one of the hardest
workers in the game and his reputa-
tion of being a fighter has stood him
well over his long career in the
American League."

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The largest retail store of its kind in the U. S., devoting 30,000 square feet of floor space to War Dept. surplus stocks and other merchandise, forced out
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and other retail stores are bulging with enormous stocks. Our time is limited, not a minute to lose, not an hour to waste. We're forced to make a com-
plete and decisive sweep of everything. Barring nothing. Reserving nothing. The most desperate, daring merchandise crash in years begins tomorrow
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season of the year, when all merchants desire to make a profit, we are compelled to unload this gigantic stock at a loss. Be sure to attend! Prices have
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7c BULL DURHAM SMOKING TOBACCO 1c With package papers.	GOVT. OVERCOATS Wool, dyed black. 98c Rec.	Men's Moleskin COATS \$8.40 Sheep-lined to the edge. Former values up to \$35	GOVT. WOOL SOCKS Men's regu- lar 50c qual- ity; a pair. 15c	CHILDREN'S CAPS And Toques. All wool and silk- and-wool; new; values up to \$1. 5c
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FRANCIS-BERRY-RUTH REALTY CO.
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Dear Sir:

As we have leased the building in which you now occupy the first
floor from us and as the lease expires on the 1st of January, 1923, we are
glad to say that we are giving you fifteen days notice in writing.

As the new tenant will not need the place until after the 1st of
the year we will not be compelled, in case you desire, to vacate the
premises before January 1st, and are giving you this notice now so that you
may make satisfactory arrangements to be out of the building by that time.

You are hereby notified and required to pay up and deliver to
110 Washington Avenue, which you now occupy and situated in the City of St. Louis,
the amount of \$100.00, the full amount of the rent for the year 1922, on or before
the 1st of January, 1923, or to pay the same in installments as follows: \$50.00 on or
before the 1st of December, 1922, and the balance of \$50.00 on or before the 1st of
January, 1923. Failure to pay the same by the above dates will constitute a
breach of the lease and the premises will be sold at public auction.

Yours very truly,
Francis Berry Ruth

Agents for Commerce Realty Company

Enclosed find check for \$100.00, the full amount of the rent for the year 1922, on or before
the 1st of January, 1923, or to pay the same in installments as follows: \$50.00 on or
before the 1st of December, 1922, and the balance of \$50.00 on or before the 1st of
January, 1923. Failure to pay the same by the above dates will constitute a
breach of the lease and the premises will be sold at public auction.

Gov. Genuine Leather Jerkens \$2.99 New, wool- lined; all sizes	APPLE JELLY Best-Clymer brand; big 2- lb. 4-oz. can. Formerly sold for 25c. 8c	GOVT. BLANKETS New weight; \$1.49 3 to 4 lbs. Think of it.	Govt. Wool Underwear New Shirts and Draw- ers; regular \$2 quality; garment. 79c	U. S. Trench Overcoats Heavy ker- sey lined; rec.; worth three times the price. \$7.95
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SALE BEGINS TOMORROW MORNING 9 O'CLOCK SHARP

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**REMEMBER 911-19 WASHINGTON AV. SALE 15 DAYS
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STOCK MARKET IS IRREGULARLY FIRM ON LARGER TRADE

Activity, However, Still Only Moderate—Demand for Certain Industrials in Afternoon—Sterling Rises, Reacts.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.
NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—The Evening Post in its copyrighted financial review today says:
"With activity slightly larger, but still in a moderate basis, stocks were irregularly firm today. The opening was steady and the condition persisted throughout the morning despite a moderate decline in the industrial list and these issues gained a point or 2. Bonds remained firm and call money after opening at 4 per cent was reduced to 3 1/2 per cent toward the close of the noon hour and then rose to 4 per cent shortly thereafter."
"Sterling meanwhile continued to furnish the excitement of the day. London again led the market, the price jumping some 3 cents before the opening on this side of the water. After trading began here the rise continued on both sides, so that by the end of our first hour a new high of \$4.49 had been achieved. This price was 3 1/2 cents above the previous close. At this point a sharp change in trend occurred, bids disappearing and offerings forcing the quotations back to \$4.45 1/2 by the middle of the afternoon. Such a violent advance as has occurred in the past few days naturally draws forth a crop of interesting but highly unreliable rumors. For example, stories of a huge British loan to finance purchases of foodstuffs and raw materials found their way into Wall Street, while reports of a great British Government campaign to put sterling at par also were put into circulation. Quarters which usually are familiar with such matters were,

New York Cotton

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Cotton futures closed steady.

	High	Low	Close	Year
December	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.10
January	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.11
March	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.12
May	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.13
July	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.14
September	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.15
November	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.16
January	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.17
March	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.18
May	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.19
July	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.20
September	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.21
November	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.22
January	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.23
March	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.24
May	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.25
July	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.26
September	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.27
November	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.28
January	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.29
March	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.30
May	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.31
July	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.32
September	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.33
November	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.34
January	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.35
March	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.36
May	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.37
July	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.38
September	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.39
November	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.40
January	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.41
March	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.42
May	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.43
July	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.44
September	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.45
November	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.46
January	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.47
March	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.48
May	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.49
July	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.50
September	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.51
November	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.52
January	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.53
March	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.54
May	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.55
July	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.56
September	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.57
November	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.58
January	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.59
March	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.60
May	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.61
July	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.62
September	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.63
November	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.64
January	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.65
March	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.66
May	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.67
July	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.68
September	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.69
November	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.70
January	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.71
March	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.72
May	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.73
July	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.74
September	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.75
November	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.76
January	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.77
March	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.78
May	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.79
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September	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.81
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January	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.83
March	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.84
May	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.85
July	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.86
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March	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.90
May	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.91
July	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.92
September	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.93
November	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.94
January	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.95
March	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.96
May	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.97
July	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.98
September	25.42	25.38	25.38	25.99
November	25.42	25.38	25.38	26.00
January	25.42	25.38	25.38	26.01
March	25.42	25.38	25.38	26.02
May	25.42	25.38	25.38	26.03
July	25.42	25.38	25.38	26.04
September	25.42	25.38	25.38	26.05
November	25.42	25.38	25.38	26.06
January	25.42	25.38	25.38	26.07
March	25.42	25.38	25.38	26.08
May	25.42	25.38	25.38	26.09
July	25.42	25.38	25.38	26.10
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FIRES DAMAGE 21 HOMES
ON COLDEST DAY OF SEASONOverheated Furnaces and Faulty
Flues Cause Losses Ranging
From \$100 to \$500

Yesterday, with the mercury hovering at its lowest ebb of this season, around 12 degrees above zero, folks shivered and shoveled more coal into the furnace. Today repair men are working to fix damage to homes by 21 fires in St. Louis' suburbs in the last 36 hours.

Overheated furnaces and faulty flues were given as the cause of the blazes. Damage averaging between \$100 and \$500 places the approximate total at \$5000.

There were seven fires in Maplewood, six in Webster Groves, five in Kirkwood, two in University City and one in Richmond Heights. Two Edwardsville residences lost portions of their roofs yesterday through fires due to overheated chimneys.

FIVE OVERCOATS STOLEN FROM
CHURCH DURING SERVICESBiting Cold Made Colder Still by
Chilling Discovery That Cold-
Blooded Thief or Thieves
Had Taken Garments

When services closed last night in Hamilton Avenue Christian Church, persons began slowly to move toward the cloakrooms, in no hurry to leave the warm room for the biting air outside and its temperature of a cold 16 degrees below freezing.

Then five men made the chilling discovery that their overcoats were gone. The coats had been appropriated, evidently, by a person, or persons cold-blooded in more ways than one. The five who had to go home without overcoats were Francis Burnhart, 5717 Barmhart avenue; Algonquin McClung, 7123 San Bonita avenue; Joseph Jandon, 431 Westgate avenue; George Harkman, 5050 Kensington avenue; and Oliver George, 5579 Vernon avenue.

19,396 SNAKE BITE DEATHS
IN BRITISH INDIA IN 19213360 Persons Were Killed by Wild
Animals, Including 70 by
Elephants

LONDON, Dec. 13.—According to statistics received from India, 3360 persons were killed by wild animals in British India during 1921, against 3633 the previous year.

Tigers were responsible for 1454 deaths, leopards for 560, wolves for 556, bears for 69, elephants for 70 and hyenas for 10.

The loss of human life from snake bites fell from 20,043 in 1920 to 19,396 in 1921.

Farmer Found Dead

By the Associated Press.

Caldwell, Kan., Dec. 13.—Seth Doty, 65 years old, a farmer, met death, apparently yesterday, on a farm he recently purchased near here and which he had visited alone. His body was found beside a grain

MOTOR CAR DRIVER ACQUITTED

Arthur E. Williams, 21, of 6207
Famous avenue, was acquitted by a
jury yesterday afternoon of a charge
of felonious wounding placed against
him following the serious injury of
Mrs. Claire Swift, 5569 Cates avenue,
who was knocked down by Williams' machine at 9:30 p. m. on March 11
as she was boarding a street car at
Skinker road and Pershing avenue
with her husband, Prof. Edgar J.
Swift of Washington University.

Williams testified that he was driving north on Skinker road at a moderate speed and was confused by the street car stopping on the north side of Pershing avenue after crossing the railroad tracks at that point.

He testified that he saw the Swifts enter the street car and that he saw them get out and walk toward the street car. He testified that he saw the Swifts get into the street car and that he saw them get out and walk toward the street car.

JUST 4 DAYS

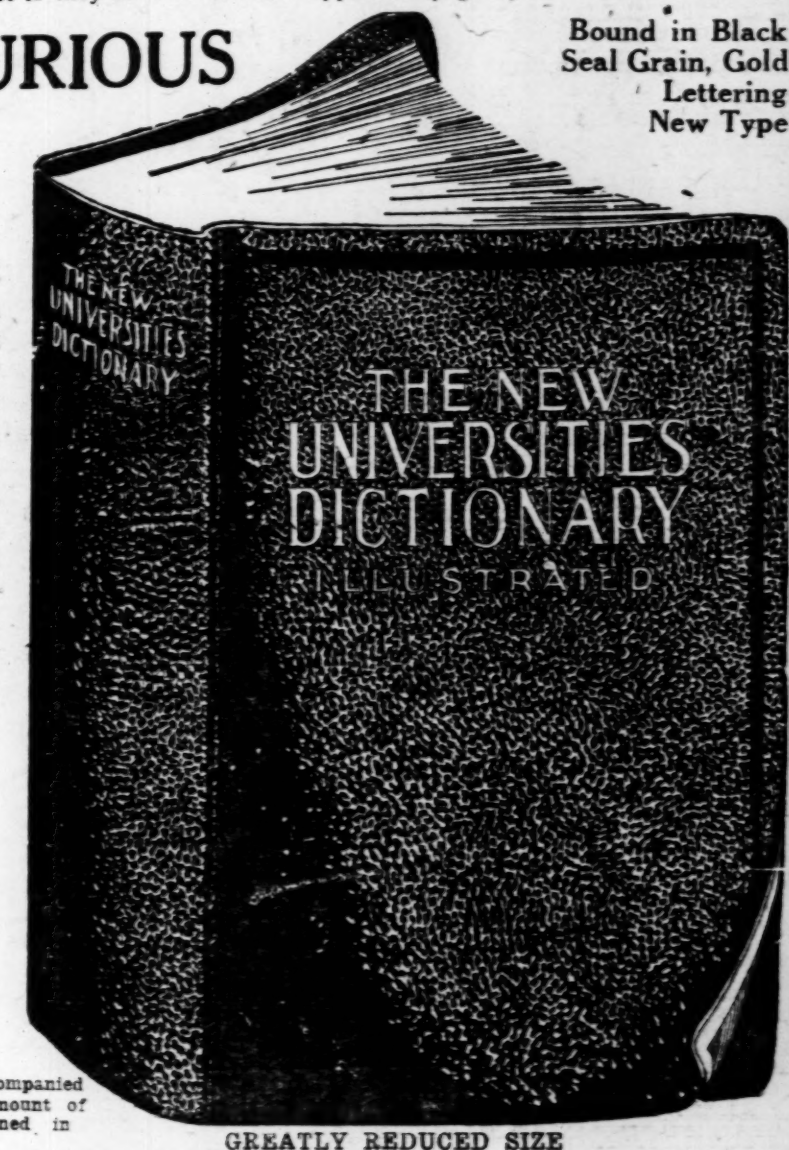
And then it's GOOD-BYE to the great Dictionary campaign. Just a few days more and the distribution of The NEW UNIVERSITIES DICTIONARY by World Syndicate Co., Inc., ends forever at the office of the

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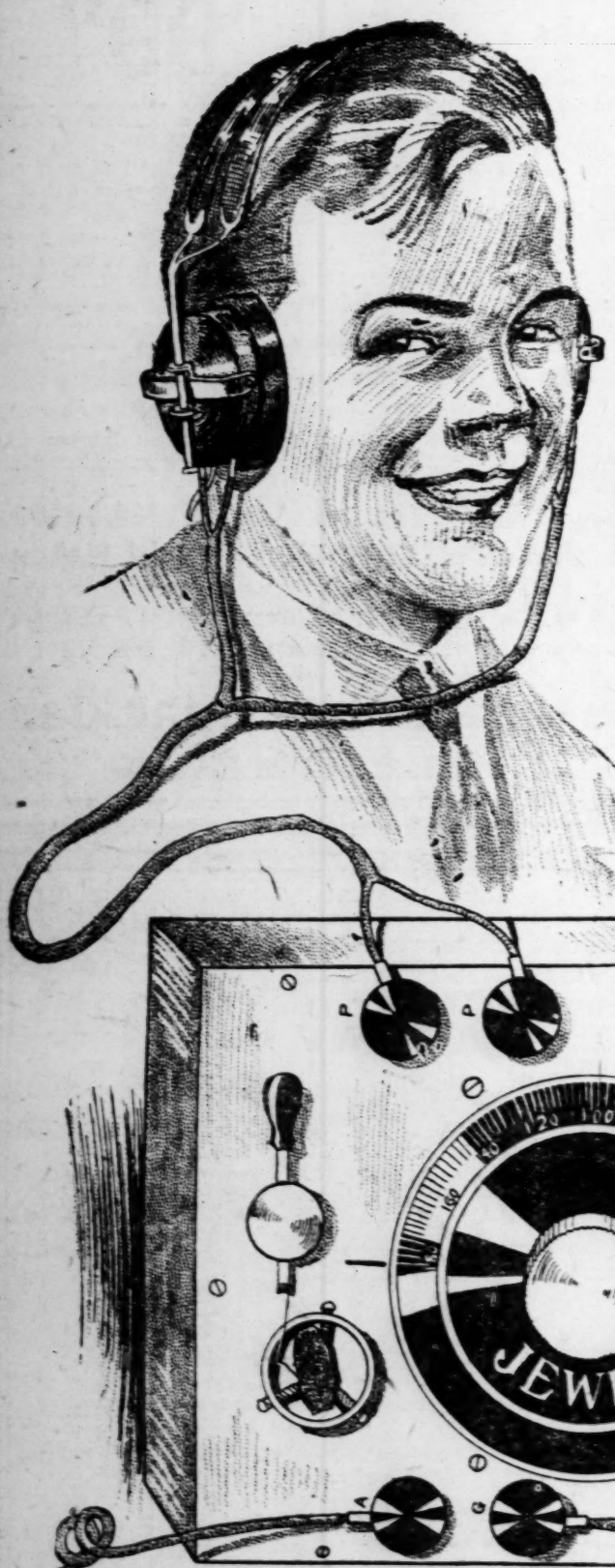
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CLIP COUPON TODAY PAGE 2

The Smile on Xmas Morning!

Hear the Music and Voices
in the AirKeep that boy at home nights—let him hear
all the news of the day—Educational—Instructive—Man Building!A Complete Equipment to
Receive Radio BroadcastsLectures, vocal and instrumental music and other
forms of entertainment are received in your home when
this device has been set up in accord with the instructions
that accompany the instrument.

The "Jewel" Radio Receiving Set includes tuning coil in polished cabinet with set of Kellogg's receiving phones (2400-ohm resistance). Actual size of cabinet, 7 1/2 in. x 6 1/2 in. x 4 1/2 in.

A Wonderful
Gift for
That Boy
of Yours

\$12.95

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The "Jewel" has a sensitive, permanent, crystal adjustment. No batteries required; no maintenance cost.

It is rated as a 50-mile instrument, and under favorable atmospheric conditions will receive radio signals from that distance. It is only recommended, however, at this time of the year, for St. Louis and suburbs. Tests have shown that the "Jewel" picks up local radio programs clearly and distinctly.

Radio Department
Toy Annex
408 N. Broadway
4 Doors South of Main Building

DEATHS

Deaths notices, first 6 lines or less,
\$1.00 per line; each extra line, 50c; women
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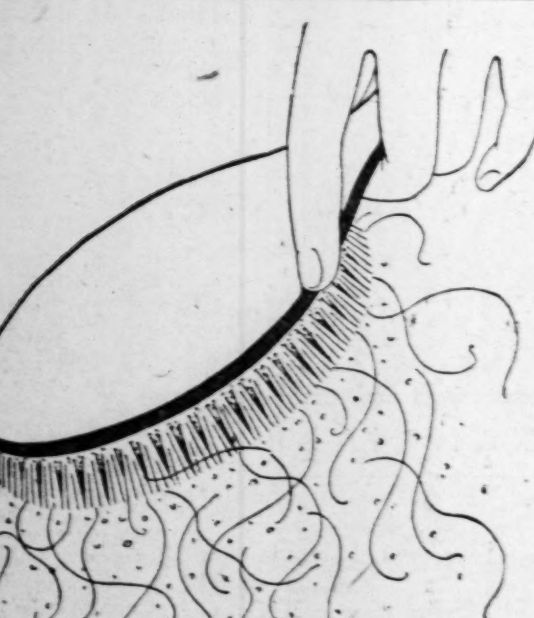
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LIMIT ON WORLD'S SMALL WARFARE URGED IN HOUSE

Committee, Reporting Naval Bill, Includes Request President Act to Broaden Present Agreement.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—A request that President Harding seek to broaden the scope of the naval limitation agreement so as to include a limitation on construction of smaller types of war vessels and on military and naval aircraft is included in the annual naval bill as reported today by the House Appropriations Committee.

Under the bill as brought into the house the President would be asked to open negotiations with Great Britain, France, Italy and Japan for an agreement which would limit future building of all surface and subsurface type of war craft having a tonnage of 10,000 or less and on all classes of army and navy aircraft.

Purse Threatened Again.

In its report the committee points out that the arms conference did not limit the number of types of smaller war vessels and adds that information has reached Congress "that already large programs are planned of vessels up to the maximum size permitted under the agreement and that new and larger types of subsurface craft have begun to put in an appearance."

"In other words," the report continued, "competition is on again to the single direction to which the unratified agreement does not extend and if it is allowed to go on unchecked the purse strings again must be relaxed and this Government, like all others, will be constrained to launch upon a new program to the extent necessary to keep us at least abreast of any of the other Powers."

Budget Provision.

An enlisted personnel during the fiscal year beginning next July 1 of \$6,000, the same as at present, is provided for in the navy budget, carrying a total of \$23,504,538, or approximately half a million dollars less than last year, reported to the House today.

For completion of 56 warships, permissible under the arms conference treaty, the Appropriations Committee proposed to make available during the coming fiscal year a total of \$55,000,000 or \$14,000,000 more than the amount recommended in the budget, to be made up by a direct appropriation of \$20,000,000 and \$35,000,000, indirect, out of cash to the credit of the naval supply account and small stores funds.

WITNESS MISSING, THEFT CASE AGAINST CONNELL IS DROPPED

Failure of Two Persons to Appear to Testify Against Him in Recent Murder Trial Recalled.

John (Kink) Connell, acquitted Friday of the murder of Charles (Alibi) Charley Vance, was released yesterday in another case in Circuit Judge Miller's court when Assistant Circuit Attorney Garstang notified a charge of larceny from the person, because the prosecuting witness, Catherine Gregory of 2509 Madison street, failed to appear.

Two State witnesses failed to appear in the trial of Connell on the murder charge and the State introduced testimony to the effect Connell had said "nobody will ever testify against me." Connell, in testifying, denied making such an assertion.

Commenting on the failure to find the Gregory woman, Judge Miller said: "The police should be able to match with such persons and see that they are brought into court as witnesses."

Connell, who resides at 1824 Lincoln avenue, was charged with theft of a purse and a \$250 fur coat from Catherine Gregory, Feb. 19.

UNIVERSITY CITY COUNCIL VOTES TO EXTEND BOUNDARY

Would Take in About One Square Mile West of Present Line—On Ballot Next April.

The University City Council voted last night to extend the western boundary of the city to Walton road, about three-quarters of a mile west of the present city limits, including a section of about one square mile.


The proposed extension continues the boundary on the north along Julian avenue, west to Walton road, and thence south to the present extreme western boundary. The plot of the city now is shaped rather like the letter L, and this section would, it is said, block out the rectangle. The proposition will be taken up with St. Louis County authorities and will be voted on in the city election next April.

The Council also adopted a motion to institute a fire alarm and police box system and 12 of each will be installed.

MOTION IN KERENS ESTATE CASE

The St. Louis Union Trust Co., as executor under the will of Richard C. Kerens, former Ambassador to Austria, today filed a motion in Probate Court asking for an order directing James P. Newell to turn over assets of the estate in his possession, valued at \$351,000.

Newell was appointed temporary administrator as a result of a will contested by a granddaughter, Katharine J. Kerens. This contest was settled last June and the will upheld.



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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1934



First pygmy elephant only three feet tall shown holding its mother and father

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Malted milk chiefs to right: Col. James



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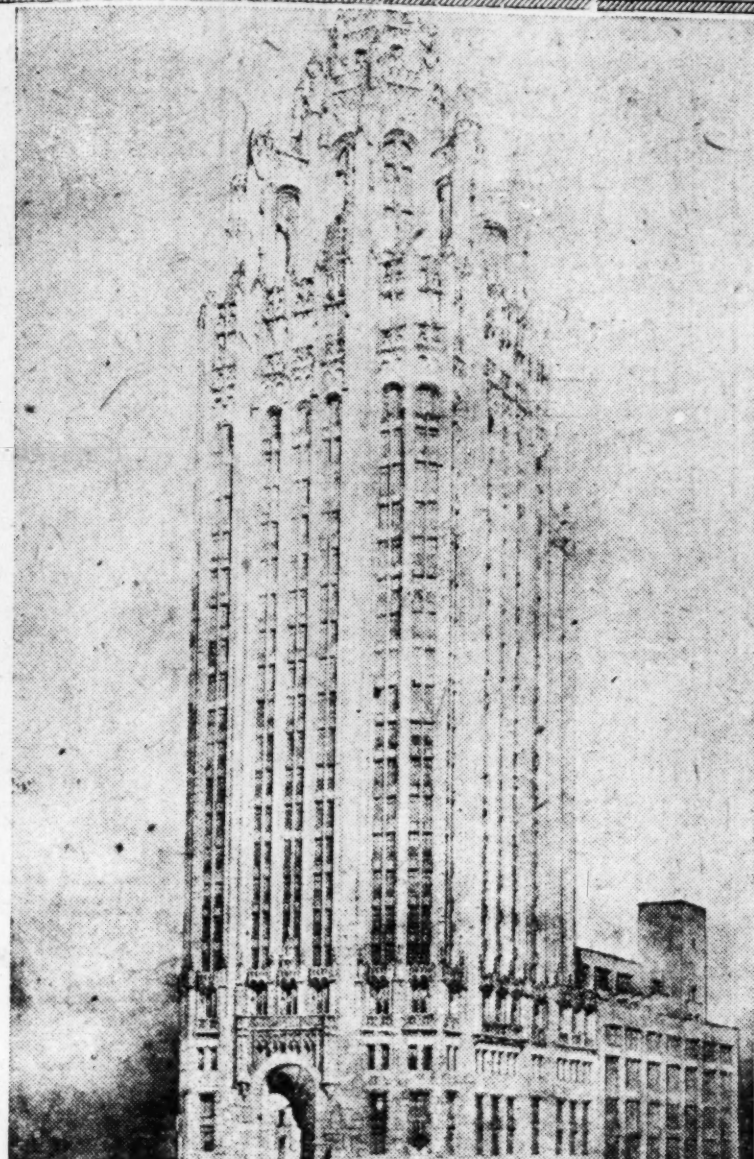
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First pygmy elephant arrives at the New York Zoo. It weighs only 400 pounds and is only three feet tall. It was captured recently in Africa by Capt. Cunningham, who is shown holding its trunk. Cunningham found it necessary to shoot the little creature's mother and father in order to make it a prisoner. Its height will never exceed five feet.
—International Photograph.



Chicago Tribune Competition

Successful design for the new building for the Chicago Tribune. John Mead Howells, of New York, the winning architect in the competition for designs, received fifty thousand dollars as a prize. The building will be called the Tribune Tower and will be 400 feet above the street at its highest point.
—Pacific & Atlantic Photograph.



Just after the ceremony which transformed Princess Dagmar of Denmark into Mrs. Joergen Kastenskjold, wife of a former officer of the King's Guards, who is in quite modest circumstances. The bride had to resign all claims to the Danish throne. She is a sister of King Christian.
—Enderwood & Underwood, New York.



Malted milk chiefs arrive for conference with Hoover on Russian food situation. Left to right: Col. James N. Horlick and Sir Ernest Horlick of London.
—Underwood & Underwood Photograph.



Above: Former Premier Venizelos of Greece (on the left, with the white beard) leaving the conference at Lausanne after a session in which he pleaded for consideration of Greece's interests in Thrace.
—Underwood & Underwood Photograph.

To the right: Mayor Thompson of Chicago (left), and Mayor Hylan of New York, both of whom agree that the United States went into the war to protect Wall Street's interest in Europe, confer in Chicago over the inauguration of a third party in William R. Hearst's interest.
—Underwood & Underwood Photograph.



Mary Miles Minter, who has been in the films since her childhood days, is to be retired by the Famous-Players Company, which has refused to renew her contract following public lack of interest in her latest pictures, due, it is said, to gossip connecting her with William Desmond Taylor, motion picture director, who was mysteriously murdered in his home in Hollywood.
—Wide World Photograph.



A little over 4 years ago on the western front. A scene from the official U. S. war pictures now being shown in St. Louis at the Liberty Theater by the Veterans of Foreign Wars.



IBITE BY NEW YORK WOMEN



PHOTOS BY UNDERWOOD & UNDERWOOD

Left: Mrs. Helen Le... New York, "R. P. Flag" a masked silver male, the... therefore the winner in his class at the Tenth... held at the Biltmore.

Second: Mrs. Francis... New Rochelle, N. Y., and her "Maharaja," first prize shaded male kitten, senior class.

Third: Miss Elsie... blue-blood cats at the show.

Right: Mrs. Frank... Boston, Mass., and her "Winter Dai," entered in... class. Mrs. Bell's cat has carried off four... and won the season's Biltmore cup for the best... cat.

Below: Miss Carroll... New Rochelle, N. Y., and "Winter Pax," entered in... silver male class.

humble capacity, filled them... went to pay wages. Then, with querulous reprobation, she pressed her point beyond their... she had decided to change... false notions of optimism... the mere amelioration of... present distress, nor to... them to do so. The... shock which had set her... and brother to futile planning... awakened Cherry to the rude... which faced them all. It was something of her father's... situation. Of course, she was... ant, incapable, inexperienced... he was not supine.

There were the servants at... Oyster Bay place, the garden... rooms to be paid and dis... Cherry had a little money in her... small bank account and applied... his purpose. The wages of the... floor servants at the Seventy... street house, besides Catherine... the second chauffeur, were... years. Alicia Mohun had some... than a thousand dollars... personal account at the bank... ad nothing. Without confid... her mother or brother... sound offers for both Bram... centipede, the hunters, and... them at a sacrifice. Most

ry managed to pay them, most of the servants gave notice. And the second cook, who had been retained, was not slow to follow, leaving only a scullery girl in the kitchen to do all the work. The upstairs maid, foreseeing extra work, deserted, and even Lillie, finding some small duties thrust upon her, disappeared one evening with her baggage. Like rats they had deserted the sinking ship.

This defection thrust new burdens upon Cherry, who had three rooms to clean besides helping with the sick man and relieving Miss Blythe, the trained nurse, in her hours of duty. Cherry assumed these new obligations with a sense of relief at having something to do. But it was not long before the drudgery of the household began to wear upon her, and she diminished one by one all tasks which were not absolutely essential to a somewhat disorderly existence. Her mother, fretting constantly about one thing or another, was her greatest trouble—the soiled towels in the bathroom, her bed badly made, the dust accumulating on mantel and dressing table, and Cherry, aware of her helplessness which showed no sign of coping with a difficult situation, did what she could for her comfort. Alicia Mohun spent most of her time in her own room, helping Miss Blythe occasionally, or wandering like a ghost about the lower floor, weeping into her eggs at the breakfast table to which she was now forced to descend, or gazing through the lace curtains of the drawing room at the passing traffic of the street outside.

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This special dinner will be served in all restaurants, at \$2 per cover.

HOTEL STATLER

RAISIN FUDGE

PLACE in saucepan—
Four cups of brown sugar.
One and one-half cups of sirup.
Three-quarters cup of evaporated milk.
Three-quarters cup of cocoa.
One-half teaspoon of cinnamon.
One-quarter cup of butter.
Cook slowly to boiling point, then cook to 245 degrees Fahrenheit. Take from the stove and add two table-spoons of vanilla and beat until mixture starts to become thick and creamy. Add quickly—
One and one-half cups of seeded raisins.
Three-quarters cup of finely chopped nuts.
One cup of marshmallows, cut in tiny bits, and turn at once into a well-oiled pan, and before the mixture becomes cold mark off in blocks.

Uncle Sam Says— Rabbit Receipts and Rabbit Raising

This booklet which is issued by the bureau of Biological Survey is devoted to the raising of pure bred rabbits. It points out the possibilities in rabbit raising, tells about breeds, hutches and yards, feeding, breeding, selling and dressing, and contains several pages devoted to rabbit receipts.

Readers of the Post-Dispatch may obtain a copy of this booklet free as long as the free edition lasts by writing to the Division of Publications, Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., asking for "F. B. 1080."

Wire wigs for women are the latest beauty makers in Paris.

BURGESS BEDTIME STORIES

An Exciting Moment on Paddy's Dam.

By Thornton W. Burgess

When it awakes you if you stay
'Tis noddys grace to run away

—Old Man Coyote

By getting hold of the end of a stick which Prickly Porky had started to drag out of the water Paddy the Beaver had pulled Prickly Porky in with a great splash. It had tickled Paddy and Mrs. Paddy almost to death, for you know that Prickly Porky had been in their way. So, chuckling to themselves, they floated in the water and watched to see what Prickly Porky would do.

"I hope he won't climb back at the same place," whispered Paddy to Mrs. Paddy. "If he does we'll be no better off than before."

But Prickly Porky didn't. You know, his wits work very slowly. It didn't enter his head that the place he had been pulled from was the easiest place to get out. The instant he hit the water he began swimming. He swam along close to the dam, looking for a place to get out. About half-way to shore he found a place where he could pull himself out and started to do so.

Paddy and Mrs. Paddy watched him. They wanted to see if, when he reached the top of the dam, he would keep on across or would return. You know, it meant a great deal of difference to them. They saw him climb up and reach the top of the dam. Then, without any warning at all, there were two figures all mixed up on the top of that dam, and such a yelling and yelping and whining and grunting as Paddy and Mrs. Paddy never heard!

It was exciting. Yes, indeed, it was exciting. Paddy and Mrs. Paddy guessed right away what had happened. They guessed that Old Man Coyote had been hiding behind that dam and had mistaken Prickly Porky the Porcupine for one of them, which, as you know, was the truth. It hadn't entered Old Man Coyote's head that it could be any one but one of those Beavers.

But the instant he landed on Prickly Porky he understood his mistake. It is a question whether he was more frightened than hurt or hurt than frightened. Fortunately for him, most of Prickly Porky's little spears were flattened down in his coat, for, you know, he had just come out of the water and he hadn't suspected danger. Had he had those



Then, without any warning at all, there were two figures all mixed up on the top of that dam.

Man Coyote. As it was, several of those little spears stuck into him.

Old Man Coyote made no attempt to kill Prickly Porky. No, sir, he did nothing of that kind. His one thought was to let go and not hold on. He didn't want what he had caught. He wanted nothing so much as to get away from it. Prickly Porky, on his part, was angry clear through. Up came the thousand little spears in his coat and back and forth swished that spear-covered tail of his. It hit Old Man Coyote on one of his hind legs. Old Man Coyote yelled. He just had to. He made a wild jump. He had no chance to choose in what direction to jump. He just wanted to get away. The result was that he jumped straight into the water with a great splash. Then he started for the shore as fast as he could swim, while Prickly Porky on the dam grunted and whined and fiercely rattled his thousand little spears.

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Can a Woman Succeed in a Career and Conduct a Home at Same Time?

Readers of Post-Dispatch Women's Page Write Interesting Letters on Subject

To the Editor of the Women's Page: I'm immensely interested in this question of "Woman's Place." We had a lively argument about it at our last club meeting and I've some very decided ideas on the subject.

In the first place, I shall speak of my own experience. During the second and third year of my marriage I held an office position and "kept house"—a little four-room flat. I never expect to be happier in my life than I was during that period. My husband and I went to work together, lunched together and if his business permitted met me to accompany me home. And I shall never forget how delightfully thrilled and surprised I was on each such occasion when I stepped off the elevator and saw him waiting there.

And I defy anyone to say that my home was neglected—that it wasn't as tidy as that of any of my friends who stayed at home and spent their spare time going to teas and matinees or embroidering? It was! And I know that my husband enjoyed the meals I cooked (if he did help peel the potatoes) as much as any of those other girls' husbands!

We had time for an occasional show, for visiting and for reading, too.

During the fourth year of my marriage my baby came. He's 2 years old now and I haven't thought of going out to work since that great occasion. However, during the last six months he has not required so constant an amount of attention, and even with cleaning my house and doing my daily little washing for him I've too much spare time. I sew all of his clothes and my own, and for a while I tried more intensive reading, brushing up on history, especially during the two hours in the afternoon that he slept. But it didn't seem enough. I felt myself itching to get my hands to something productive. I decided one day that I would not, could not leave my baby to work away from home, at least until he is 5. To me it seems that those are the years when a child needs his mother's care both phys-

ically and mentally more than at any later period. After that, we trust him to a teacher without any qualms of conscience for six hours a day and I don't see why we couldn't trust him to another responsible person other than his mother for two hours more, which would most likely cover the entire time a woman would devote to her business or profession.



GUARD YOUR THOUGHTS—Finally, brethren, whatever things are true, whatever things are honest, whatever things are just, whatever things are pure, whatever things are lovely, whatever things are of good report; if there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think on these things.—Philippians 4:8.



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The Man on the Sandbox

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The New York Yanks may be half-sold. According to a rumor: 'Twas feared their feet were getting cold. And they would pull a bloomer. It made 'Til Huston feel so blue. To see the Giants skin 'em. The Colonel has decided to. Sell his half-interest in 'em.

Frank Chance will see what he can do. With Boston's lowly Red Sox. He'll use his skill in trying to. Rejuvenate those Dead Sox. He may not be as young and stout. He may not be as clever. But there is not the slightest doubt. That "Husk" is game as ever.

UNSUPPORTED TESTIMONY.
Siki Denies Having Committed Suicide.
But Siki's manager says that the Battler is such a monumental prevaricator, he wouldn't believe him under oath.

"Boley May and May Not Leave Baltimore."
If he doesn't we'll venture the prediction that he stays there.

If Ban Johnson doesn't change his mind again the American League will hold its annual meeting in New York on Dec. 13.

New Orleans druggists have formed a league for winter play. If those boys can't pound the pill who can?

Philadelphia has a bantamweight named Benny Bass. Unfortunately, he is not in Red Herring's class.

Bombardier Wells, the idol of the British boxing fans, is said to be a beautiful boxer and would be a wonderful fighter if it wasn't for his one weak spot. Unlike Achilles, Bomby's weak spot is anywhere above the heel.

Bombardier is a great drawing card in London. The box populi turn out en masse every time he boxes, as it would break their hearts if he should happen to win a fight and they should not be there to see it.

"De Palma Starts His 10-Day Jail Sentence."
Ralph went so far in 10 minutes that it will take him 10 days to get back.

HOW 'BOUT IT, THOMAS?
Maybe Thomas Edison could tell us why football players wear those leather patches on their pants.

"Move to Reduce Size of Big League Squads."
Capital idea. Confine the spectators to the stands.

At that it would be tough on the doughboys were the standing army to be reduced to a peace basis.

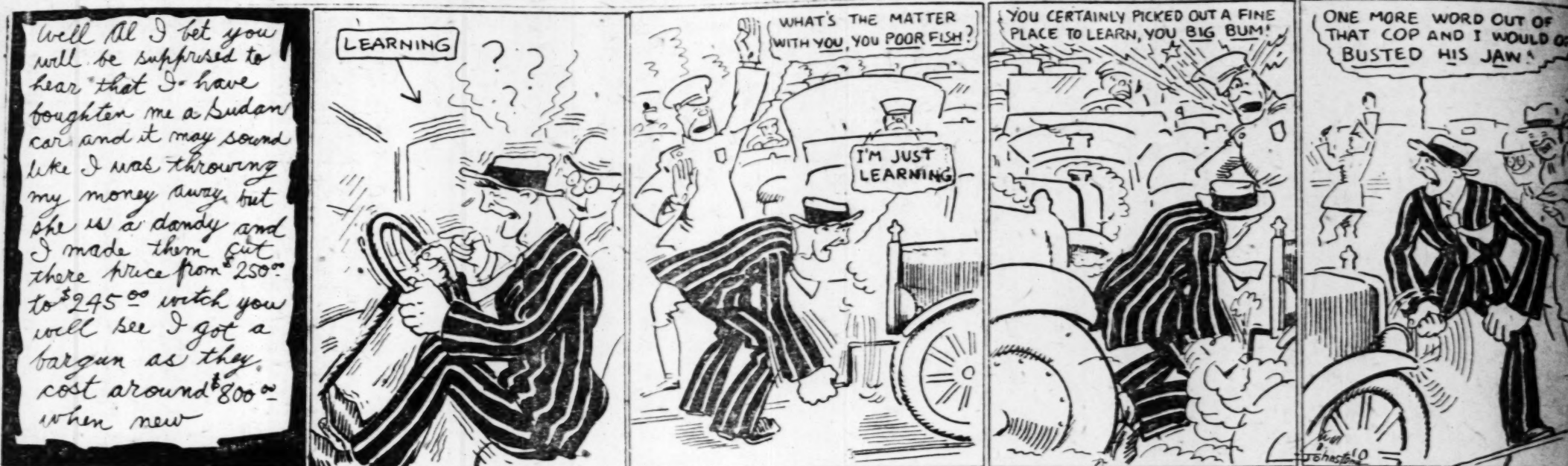
"Crick-Matthews Go Nets 265,000 Francs."
We understand the boys split it 50-50, each dragging down 50 cents.

METROPOLITAN MOVIES—BY GENE CARR



"C'mon, Jimmie, let's beat it. He might think we're bandits."

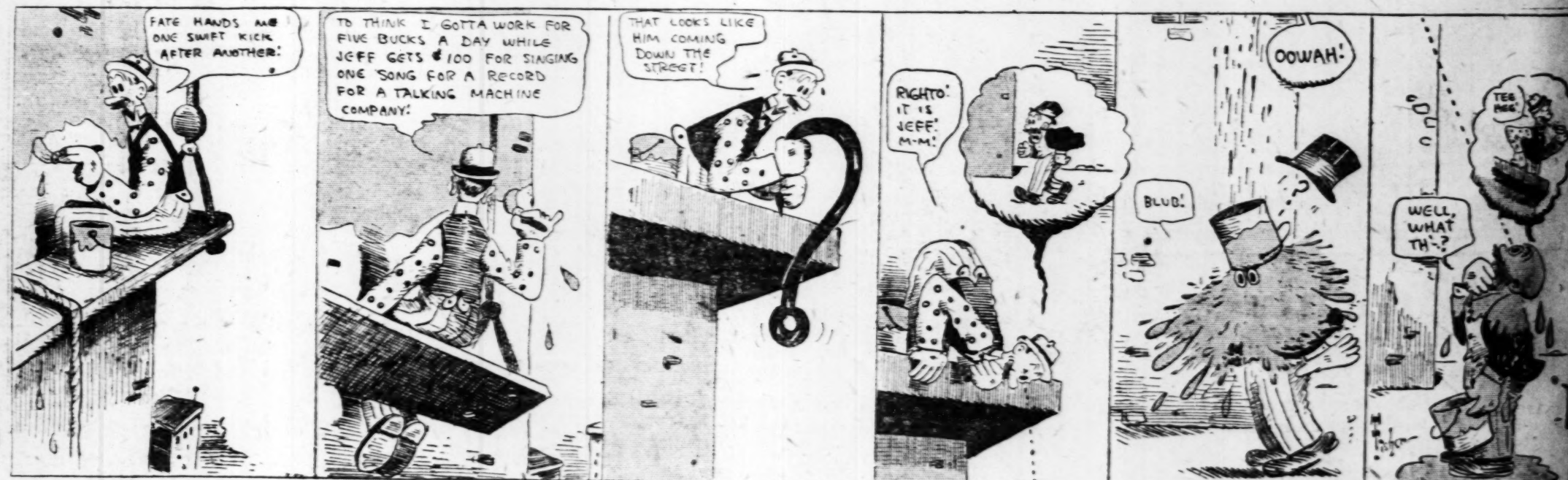
"YOU KNOW ME, AL!"—WORDS AND PLOT BY RING LARDNER



SURE, I KNOW, EVERYTHING IS GREAT—By RUBE GOLDBERG



MUTT AND JEFF—AFTER THAT, MUTT FELT MUCH BETTER—By BUD FISHER



IT HAPPENS IN THE BEST REGULATED SHOPS—By BRIGGS



ONE MORE ATTEMPT TO SOLVE THE MYSTERY OF OLD MAN SKIN'S HAT—By FONTAINE FOX



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TURKS YIELD
ON MINORITY
AND WILL JOIN
THE LEAGUE

Ismet Pasha's Announcement
Interpreted as Meaning
That Turkey Will Accept
League's Supervision
Christian Peoples in
Country.

WILLING TO AGREE
PRINCIPLE, SAYS

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Influence Him.

By the Associated Press.
LAUSANNE, Dec. 14.—
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members of the minorities
military service.

In replying to Ismet Pasha,
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changed its tone and had rea
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Straight Talks to Turks by
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Turkey desired to do the right
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